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## PREFACE

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The plan for the organization of the Inventory is as follows: Series I consists of reports on the administration of the Survey, acknowledgments, and general discussions of the location, condition, and content of federal archives in the states. Succeeding series contain the detailed information secured by workers of the Survey, in inventory form, a separate series number being assigned to each of the executive departments (accept the Department of State) and other major units of the Federal Government. Within each series No. 1 is a general introduction to the field organization and records of the governmental agency concerned; the succeeding numbers contain the inventory proper, separate numbers being assigned to each state in alphabetical order. Thus, in each series, the inventory for Alabama is No. 2, that for Arizona No. 3, that for Arkansas No. 4, etc.

For each local office information regarding each series, or unit of related records, is presented in the following order: title, inclusive dates ("to date" indicating an open file at the time the information was secured), general description of informational content, description of the system of filing or indexing (if any), a statement of frequency and purpose of use, form of the record itself (bound volumes, sheets in folders, etc.), linear footage, description of the containers, physical condition of the records (not stated if satisfactory), location by room number or other identifying information, and finally, the number of the Form 58SA on which this information was originally recorded by a Survey worker and from which it was abstracted for the inventory. This form is on file in The National Archives. When it contains substantial information on addenda sheets which has not been included in the mimeographed abstract, indication of this is given by use of the reference "See addenda."

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## INTRODUCTION

The State of Massachusetts, excluding the district of Maine, was constituted a judicial district in the Federal system by the act of September 24, 1789. Since that time it has remained a single district without divisions, and its principal seat has always been at Boston. For a time (1789-1813) regular sessions of the district court, though not of the circuit court, were also held at Salem. Terms of both courts were instituted at Springfield by an act of March 2, 1909, which directed, moreover, that a deputy clerk should be appointed to reside and keep an office there; but Boston continued to be the depository of the courts' records; and an act of May 1, 1922 expressly stipulated that all "writs, precepts, and processses" should be returnable to Boston and that all court papers should be kept in the clerk's office there unless special orders to the contrary were issued by the court. The act of 1922 also provided that regular sessions of the district court should be held at New Bedford and in 1926 Worcester was added to the list of places where the court should sit.

Since 1801 the district of Massachusetts has belonged to the first circuit. In 1891, when the circuit courts of appeals were created, the first circuit embraced the districts of Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Maine. Boston was designated as the seat of the court for the circuit. An act of January 28, 1915 added Porto Rico to the first circuit and a further act of January 8, 1925 provided that the court of appeals for the circuit should, when in its judgment the public interest required, hold a special sitting for the island at San Juan; but presumably the records of the court were still to be kept at Boston only.



UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS

BOSTON

FIRST CIRCUIT

Federal Bldg., Post Office Square

This court resided in the Old Federal Building from 1891 until 1929 when the building was torn down. While a new building was under construction it occupied quarters in Young's Hotel, Court Square, where it remained until 1933. In that year the court moved to its present offices on the 15th and 16th floors of the new Federal Building.

The annual term of the court of appeals opens in Boston on the first Tuesday in October. Cases which have been previously reviewed in sessions held the first Tuesday in January and the second Tuesday in April are then heard. The personnel of the court comprises four judges, one clerk, one deputy, and one secretary. Approximately 125 cases are heard annually by this court. Complete data of each case, including the opinions of the justices, are kept in a folder numerically filed.

1. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FILES, 1891 to date. Transcripts of records, exhibits, official bound and unbound records. After final disposition of a suit all records are bound in book form in duplicate; one remains in the clerk's office and becomes the official court record; the other is donated to the Social Law Library, Boston. In event that the first set is lost or destroyed the second set is returned. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Frequently, official.) Various sized vols., envelopes, and bundles, 326 ft., on 155 open steel shelves and in 1 enclosed bookcase. R. 1610. (51)

2. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FILES, 1891 to date. Inactive records: briefs, opinions of court, mandates, cash books, journals, diaries, and exhibits. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) Various sized vols., bundles, and loose papers, 89 ft. 2 in., in 12 drawers of steel filing cases and 4 drawers of wooden filing cases. R. 1600. (56)

3. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FILES, 1891 - 1932. Inactive transcripts of records containing complete data of all cases entered in this court, appearance slips of attorneys, and mandates. See addenda for further details. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Rarely, official.) Various sized vols., envelopes, bundles and loose papers, 609 ft. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in tin and wooden boxes, in open wooden drawers, and on open steel shelves. See addenda for condition of archives. R. 1400. (55)

# THE HISTORY OF THE

REIGN OF KING CHARLES THE FIRST

BY JOHN BURNET

IN TWO VOLUMES.

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Sign of the Anchor in St. Dunstons Church-yard,

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

BOSTON

CLERK

Federal Bldg., Post Office Square

The United States Court at Boston has had various locations since 1789. In the early period (1789-1813) quarters were maintained in the Exchange Coffee House at Congress, State, and Devonshire Streets. In 1813 the court moved to the new Court House, Court Square, where it remained until 1855. The old and well known Parkman-Shore House in Bowdoin Square, thereafter housed it until 1921 when it was established at Young's Hotel, Court Square. Since 1933 its offices have occupied the south wing of the fifteenth floor of the new Federal Building. Referees in bankruptcy have offices on the eleventh floor; and judges of the district court have rooms on the sixteenth floor.

The district court convenes the third Tuesday in March, the fourth Tuesday in June, the fourth Tuesday in September, and the first Tuesday in December. Its personnel comprises three district judges, one clerk, three probation and parole officers, and fifteen clerical assistants and stenographers.

The records of the court are in fair condition in spite of their frequent removals. Of special interest are the prize court cases of the War of 1812, all of which are now carefully folded, wrapped, and stored in a steel filing cabinet. These records have been indexed and are readily available for students, historians, and genealogists.

Old Circuit Court Records

4. UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT DOCKETS, May 1790 - June 1795; Oct. 1800 - June 1906. In 1869 criminal cases were first separated from general court records. Since 1874 cases of law and equity have been maintained separately. See addenda for details of series. Entered chronologically. (Rarely, historical.) 9 x 15 vols., 10 ft. 6 in., on 4 shelves. R. 1419. (109)

5. CIRCUIT COURT DOCKETS, 1907 - 1911. Arranged numerically. (Occasionally, official.) Various sized vols. (9), 2 ft. 6 3/8 in., on 9 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (58A)

6. JOURNAL ENTRIES, May term 1874 - Oct. term 1909. Records of appointments to office, decrees, accounts, jury venires, and oaths of office. These are notes on journal business of court; no notes on any of the cases appear. Yearly indices of adjournments. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 3/4 x 14 1/4 vols., 8 in., on steel shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (507)



7. RECORDS OF CASES AND ARGUMENTS, Aug. 8, 1890 - May 9, 1913. Cases include pleadings and arguments heard by circuit court. Filed chronologically and numerically. (Rarely, official.) Various sized vols., 223 ft. 9 in., on 35 closed wooden and 40 open steel shelves and on wooden table. R. 1419. (2092)
8. UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT MEMORANDA, Feb. 1, 1853 - Dec. 31, 1859. Records of daily proceedings of court. Under date of Nov. 29, 1854, note is made of appearance of the Rev. Theodore Parker, charged with resisting an officer of the United States in his attempt to execute process. The case involved the return of a fugitive slave to his owner and led to a riot on the courthouse steps during which one man was killed. Mr. Parker was discharged on the ground that the indictment was faulty. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 8 x 10 vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (494)
9. CIRCUIT COURT ORDERS AND RECEIPTS, Oct. 25, 1832 - Nov. 24, 1911. Arranged chronologically. (Never.)  $9\frac{1}{4}$  x  $13\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 ft., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (503)
10. ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS, May 1, 1790 - Dec. 30, 1911. Original documents of cases including land claims, seizures of ships; cases concerning smuggling, slave ships, murders and revolts on the high seas, counterfeiting, embargoes, piracy, pardons, equity, patents, etc. Arranged chronologically and numerically. Indexed. (Rarely, official.)  $6\frac{1}{2}$  x 13 folded documents, 432 ft. 2 in., on 140 open metal shelves. Dirty, torn, damaged by faulty containers, brittle. R. 1419. (1228)
11. MISCELLANEOUS SUITS IN EQUITY, May 1813 - Mar. 1907. Depositions, exhibits, testimony, memoranda, letters, and special examiner's reports. (Never.) 5 x 9 bundles, 3 ft. 3 in., on wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty, torn. R. 1419. (1248)
12. CIRCUIT COURT RECORDS, Jan. 5, 1871 - May 10, 1905. Papers relative to patent and contract cases, and copies of letters regarding purchase of land in Hingham and Weymouth by Government for an ordnance depot. (Never.) Various sized bundles and paper packages, 7 ft. 2 in., in post office "tub". Dirty. R. 1419. (1603)
13. BILLS OF COSTS AS PRESENTED TO THE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT, Sept. 2, 1902 - Dec. 31, 1905. Papers setting forth fees payable to marshals, clerks, and attorneys in connection with cases. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 bundles, 6 in., in wooden trunk. Brittle, dirty, scattered, ink faded. R. 1419. (1533)
14. RECORDS OF NATURALIZATION, Aug. 30, 1845 - Sept. 26, 1906. Complete data on each applicant appearing before court for naturalization. Entered chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 11 x 15 and 9 x 14 vols., 108 ft. 6 in., on 42 open steel shelves. Damaged by careless handling, bindings broken. R. 1017. (2317)





15. RECORDS OF PRIMARY DECLARATIONS, Dec. 22, 1845 - Sept. 1906. Records on circuit court forms, showing issuance of first papers to applicants for naturalization. Entered chronologically. (Rarely, genealogical.) 11 x 15 and 8 x 10 vols., 17 ft. 1 in., on 7 enclosed steel shelves. Damaged by careless handling, bindings broken. R. 1017. (2327)

16. PETITION AND RECORD, Sept. 27, 1906 - Apr. 8, 1912. Forms 2204B, containing information on applicants for naturalization appearing before circuit court. Arranged chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 13 x 18 vols., 7 ft. 1 in., on 3 enclosed steel shelves. R. 1017. (2640)

17. RECORDS OF DECLARATION OF INTENTION, Oct. 1, 1906 - Dec. 30, 1911. Forms 2202B, containing complete data on applicants applying before circuit court for first naturalization papers. Arranged chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 vols., 8 ft., on 3 enclosed steel shelves. R. 1017. (2308)

18. FIRST PAPERS, NATURALIZATION, Mar. 1, 1845 - June 30, 1873. Records of original first papers of applicants in circuit court. for naturalization. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 bundles, 138 ft., on 20 enclosed steel shelves. Dirty. R. 1017. (3970)

19. THE DEPOSITION OF JOHN SINGLETON COPLEY, June 1, 1811 - Jan. 22, 1812. Including a letter of commission and interrogatory, an account of proceedings by commissioners, and the deposition of John S. Copley. See addenda for circumstances of the case. (Never.)  $5\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 bundles, 1 in., on open steel shelf. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (2621)

20. DEPOSITIONS IN REGARD TO JOHN AMES, VS. WELLS, LATHROP, ET AL, May 18 - Sept. 11, 1935. Handwritten original depositions, taken by masters in various cities, and forwarded to clerk of court. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 paper packages, 1 ft. 8 in., in wooden trunk. Brittle, dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1601)

21. INTERROGATORIES IN THE CASE OF ROSS WINANS VS. THE EASTERN RAILROAD COMPANY, Oct. 15, 1852 - Aug. 9, 1854. Suit of inventor of railroad equipment against Eastern Railroad Company because of the use of one of his inventions, the "eight wheeled railroad car". Papers do not show outcome of case. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 5 x 8 bundles, 4 in., in wooden box. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1298)

22. THE OCTOROON, OR LIFE ON A LOUISIANA PLANTATION, Aug. 20, 1860. Handwritten copy of the 1st, 3rd, and 5th acts of Dion Boucicault's "Octoroon", filed for sectional copyright in Massachusetts district. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x 8 papers, 2 in., in wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty. R. 1419. (1535)



## District Court Records

(General)

23. MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT COURT RECORDS, 1789 - 1918. Of warrants, motions, libels, bonds, claims, answers, decrees, petitions, declarations, and judgments entered at large. In 1806 cases of seizures by privateers begin to appear. There are also various cases against seamen on American vessels for violence and mutiny on the high seas. Under the embargo act of 1812 cases appear concerning confiscation and sale of goods. Many draft evasion cases appear as well as cases for liquor-law violations during the Civil War period. These are an untouched mine of source material for historians. See addenda for details. Arranged numerically and chronologically. Various sized index books,  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. (Rarely, historical.)  $11\frac{1}{2}$  x 17 vols. and 11 x 18 unbound vol., 30 ft.  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on 10 open steel shelves. Bindings broken, brittle, ink faded. R. 1419. (482, 1206)

24. MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS OF UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, June 13, 1849 to date. Including appointments of referees in bankruptcy, commissioners, marshals, deputy marshals, clerks, jury tables, bonds and oaths of office of all above appointees. Arranged chronologically. (Monthly, official.) 10 x 14 vols., 9 in., on top of wooden cabinet. R. 1525. (1975)

25. DISTRICT COURT DOCKETS AND MINUTE BOOKS, Sept., 1799 - Aug. 1907. Recording cases in their order of appearance and disposition in court. In 1899 the paper-bound copy books were arranged chronologically and bound in leather. Earlier records included itemized minutes and notes on the actions of the court. Later as the method of keeping dockets became routine only the general information as to an action, such as the warrant, disposition, and names of litigants and attorneys appear. See addenda for details. (Rarely, official.) 9 x 13 vols., 10 ft. 8 in., on 1 open and 3 closed steel shelves. R. 1419. (111)

26. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DOCKETS, Sept. 3, 1890 - Oct. 9, 1905. Records of entries made by clerk of this court, containing the names of litigants and a brief outline of pleadings and adjudications. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 9 x 15 vols., 1 ft. 6 in., on metal shelf. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (2921)

27. DISTRICT COURT DOCKETS, 1915 - 1926. Arranged numerically. (Occasionally, official.) Various sized vols. (4), 10  $\frac{1}{8}$  in., on 4 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (58)

28. RULE BOOK OF THE DISTRICT COURT, Jan. 6, 1823 - Feb. 1, 1864. Handwritten lists of cases with comments and rulings of court. Entered chronologically. Books 1842 - 1846 missing. (Never.) 8 x 13 vols., 7 in., on open steel shelv. Dirty, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (523)

29. RULE BOOK OF DISTRICT COURT OF UNITED STATES, DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS, May 1, 1894 to date. Rules of court, adopted by circuit



court, from June 27, 1894 - Dec. 30, 1911, and by district court since Jan. 1, 1936. Some are printed, others are typed, and all are pasted on the pages of the books. Filed chronologically. (Semimonthly, official.) 10 x 12 vols., 3 in., on top of wooden cabinet. R. 1525. (1954)

30. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION REGARDING COURT PROCEDURE, 1850 to date. Handbook, probably by clerk, explaining methods of procedure in various cases and fees to be charged. (Never.) 8 x 10 vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (59)

31. DISTRICT COURT JOURNAL, Mar. 21, 1899 - Dec. 31, 1911. Daily record of returns made to court by clerk, marshals, and other officials; also orders issued by the court. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 11 x 14 vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (508)

32. DISTRICT COURT, MISCELLANEOUS JOURNAL ENTRIES, Mar. 11, 1915 - Dec. 31, 1917. Concerning miscellaneous court orders and returns of marshals. Entered chronologically. (Occasionally, official.) 10 x 15 vols., 3 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (504)

33. JOURNAL ENTRIES, EQUITY, LAW, ETC., Jan. 2, 1923 - Dec. 31, 1924. Orders of court. Arranged chronologically. (Occasionally, official.) 10 x 15 vols., 4 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (495)

34. MISCELLANEOUS DOCKET, Feb. 10, 1911 - Sept. 29, 1927. Reports of all miscellaneous cases showing as to each, defendant's name, charge against him, disposition of case, and cost of trial. Arranged chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 12 vols., 5 in., on 2 open steel roller shelves. R. 1525. (1856)

35. JUDGMENT DOCKET, Jan. 5, 1914 to date. Showing plaintiffs' and defendants' names, dispositions of cases, findings made, and amounts of judgments. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.) 14 x 16 vols., 3 in., on open steel roller shelf. R. 1525. (2115)

36. HONORABLE JUDGE DAVIS'S DOCKET, Sept. 1831 - June 1855. Various notes made in certain of the cases. Extensive notes, 1831 - 1832, meagre notes, 1832 - 1855. (Never.) 6  $\frac{5}{8}$  x 8 and 4  $\frac{3}{4}$  x 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Ink faded. R. 1419. (378)

37. EXHIBIT BOOK, Sept. 30, 1913 to date. Records of plaintiffs' and defendants' exhibits. Arranged chronologically. (Daily, official.) 11 x 16 vols., 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel roller shelf. R. 1525. (2113)

38. ORDER BOOK, Apr. 8, 1926 to date. Handwritten copies of orders for confiscation and forfeiture. Entered chronologically and numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 9 x 13  $\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 7 in., on 2 steel roller shelves. R. 1525. (2017)

39. VARIOUS DOCUMENTS OFFERED IN EVIDENCE AND OTHER ORIGINAL PAPERS AND RECORDS OF THE DISTRICT COURT, Mar. 1790 - Mar. 1918. See addenda for reference to interesting cases. Filed chronologically. (Rarely, historical and genealogical.) 9 x 13 bundles, 260 ft., on 75 open steel shelves. Damaged by faulty containers, brittle, dirty, torn. R. 1419. (2018)



40. STANDARD INTERROGATORIES AND FORMS USED FOR VARIOUS ACTIONS OF THE COURT, 1812 - 1815. Blank forms for habeas corpus, bail, dedimus, decrees, etc., and one printed standard interrogatory for prize cases. (Never.)  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x  $9\frac{1}{2}$  paper packages,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., in box. Damaged by careless handling, faulty containers, dirty, torn, ink faded. R. 1419. (1193)

41. MEMORANDUM OF CASES HEARD BY JUSTICES OF DISTRICT COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1903 - 1910. Handwritten decisions by justices in various cases including names of attorneys appearing. Arranged chronologically. (Rarely, official.)  $7\frac{1}{2}$  x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  copt books (4), 1 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty, bindings broken. R. 1419. (110)

42. OPINIONS AND MEMORANDA OF THE DISTRICT COURT, May 10, 1928 - Dec. 22, 1929. Relative to bankruptcy, civil, criminal, and admiralty cases heard in district court. (Never.) 10 x 15 bundles,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (2472)

43. MISCELLANEOUS CASES OF DISTRICT COURT, Feb. 13, 1936 to date. Writs, warrants, etc., as yet unfiled. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 loose papers,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden filing drawer. R. 1525. (2475)

44. UNFILED CIVIL, CRIMINAL, ADMIRALTY, AND NATURALIZATION CASES, June 10, 1936 to date. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 loose papers, 1 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 1525. (2635)

(Civil Law)

45. CIVIL DOCKETS, Jan. 1, 1912 to date. Containing, as to each case, its docket number, title, attorneys, dates, filings, proceedings, findings, disposition, fees and costs. Entered chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 15 x  $15\frac{1}{2}$  and 14 x 16 vols., 13 ft., on 51 steel roller shelves. R. 1525. (1928, 2118)

46. CIVIL CASES, Dec. 1908 - Dec. 31, 1935. Records of closed and inactive cases including writs, affidavits, interrogatories, and all other original papers in connection therewith. Filed numerically. 3 x 5 card index. (Frequently, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 201 ft. 9 in., on 55 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (190, 191, 193, 194, 195)

47. LAW CASES, June 30, 1922 to date. Writs, petitions, warrants, briefs, affidavits, etc. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 24 ft. 6 in., in 13 metal filing drawers. R. 1525. (1745)

48. CIVIL CASES, Dec. 2, 1924 - June 12, 1936. Writs, warrants, briefs, marshals' orders, etc. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 6 ft. 10 in., in 4 metal filing drawers. R. 1525. (1749)

49. UNFILED LAW CASES, June 5, 1936 to date. Records of completed law cases as yet unfiled. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 loose papers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in., in steel filing drawer. R. 1525. (2055)





50. SPECIAL LAW CASES, Apr. 18, 1930 - Jan. 3, 1936. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 1 ft. 7 in., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 1525. (1728)

(Equity)

51. DISTRICT COURT JOURNAL RECORDS, Jan. 1, 1911 - Dec. 30, 1922. Typed records of entire daily proceedings of court; first four volumes of this series are labeled Circuit Court Journal Records. When the circuit court was absorbed in 1911 by the district court, title changed to District Court Journal Records. Recent records unbound. (Occasionally, official.) 10 x 14 vols., 3 ft.  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open wooden shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (237)

52. EQUITY DOCKET, Dec. 30, 1913 to date. Record of equity cases, including names of defendants, plaintiffs, and representing attorneys; dispositions of cases; and costs of trials. Entered chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 14 vols., 2 ft. 11 in., on 14 open steel roller shelves. R. 1525. (2116)

53. EQUITY CASES, DISTRICT COURT, Jan. 25, 1890 to date. Records of each inactive case, including writs, affidavits, interrogatories, etc. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Frequently, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 99 ft., on 33 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (192)

54. EQUITY CASES, Oct. 28, 1914 to date. Active cases, including writs, affidavits, briefs, and records of court. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 29 ft. 4 in., in 15 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 1525. (1744)

55. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS IN THE CASE OF THE EARNSHAW KNITTING COMPANY VS. THE WILLIAM CARTER COMPANY, June 28, 1832 - Jan. 31, 1935. Photostats, photographs, typed and printed letters, depositions, briefs by counsel for plaintiff and defendant, and magazine and newspaper articles. (Frequently, official, legal.) Various sized vols., folders, envelopes, covers, bundles and portfolio, 4 ft.  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in., in 3 wooden boxes. Torn, scattered, bindings broken. R. 1419. (1620)

(Bankruptcy)

56. BANKRUPTCY DOCKET OF THE ACT OF 1841, Feb. 2, 1841 - Apr. 1844. Case records 1 to 3255. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Never.) 8 x 10 and 8 x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $4\frac{1}{4}$  in., on wooden shelf. Dirty. R. 1419. (1171)

57. BANKRUPTCY DOCKET UNDER ACT OF 1841, Feb. 22, 1842 - First Tuesday of Apr. 1842. Marked "duplicate". Original missing. (Never.) 8 x 10 vols.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (1098)



58. BANKRUPTCY DOCKET, ACT OF 1867, June 3, 1867 - Mar. 31, 1890. Arranged numerically. (Occasionally, official.) 9 x 13  $\frac{3}{4}$  vols., 3 ft. 1 in., on 2 wooden shelves, and in enclosed wooden cabinet. Bindings slightly worn. R. 1419. (1099)
59. BANKRUPTCY DOCKETS, ACT OF 1898, Part I; Aug. 1, 1898 - July 20, 1928. Arranged numerically. Indexed. (Occasionally, official.) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 and 13 x 17 vols., 11 ft. 8 in., on 5 wooden shelves in wooden cabinet, and 8 open steel roller shelves in steel cabinet. Dirty. R. 1419. (1162)
60. BANKRUPTCY DOCKETS, UNDER ACT OF 1898. Part II, July 2, 1920 - June 3, 1936. Arranged numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 13 x 17 vols., 10 x 11 $\frac{1}{2}$  loose-leaf books, 16 ft., on 43 open steel roller shelves and on open wooden shelf. Dirty. R. 1525. (1262)
61. BANKRUPTCY RECORDS, FIRST PERIOD, Oct. 18, 1800 - Sept. 1, 1803. Complete original legal documents of first cases of bankruptcy, containing reports and bills, and correspondence, between the bankrupt, creditors, and commissioners. See addenda for schedule of cases filed. Arranged numerically. (Never.) 5 x 8 bundles, 45 ft. 1 in., on 11 open wooden shelves. R. 1419. (646)
62. RECORDS IN CASES OF BANKRUPTCY, May 26, 1802 - Nov. 11, 1803. Records of proceedings in bankruptcy cases, including both private and public meetings. (Never.) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 and 7  $\frac{3}{4}$  x 9  $\frac{5}{8}$  vols., 1 ft. 1 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty. R. 1419. (379)
63. BANKRUPTCY RECORDS, ACT OF 1800, Volume III, Oct. 26, 1803 - Oct. 4, 1817. Arranged numerically. Indexed. (Never.) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 vols., 1  $\frac{3}{4}$  in., on wooden shelf in an enclosed wooden bookcase. Dirty. R. 1419. (1173)
64. BANKRUPTCY RECORDS, SECOND PERIOD, Feb. 2, 1842 - Mar. 1, 1843. Bankruptcy petitions, allowable under act of 1841. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Never.) 4 x 10 bundles, 138 ft. 1 in., on 31 open wooden shelves. Dirty. R. 1419. (510)
65. BANKRUPTCY RECORDS, THIRD PERIOD, June 3, 1867 - Aug. 31, 1878. Records of bankruptcy petitions and all data connected with them under bankruptcy act of Mar. 2, 1867, repealed by Act of Congress, June 7, 1878. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Occasionally, legal.) 4 x 10 bundles, 732 ft. 3 in., on 146 open wooden shelves and 26 open steel shelves. Dirty. R. 1419. (512)
66. PETITIONS OF DEBTORS, SCHEDULES A AND B, Feb. 2, 1869 - Feb. 3, 1875. Handwritten bankruptcy forms under act of 1867, consisting mostly of claims. (Occasionally, official.) 4 x 10 bundles, 13 ft. 4 in., in open wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty. R. 1419. (1329)
67. BANKRUPTCY RECORDS, FOURTH PERIOD, June 6, 1899 to date. Records of petitions, claims and judgments of cases under present bankruptcy act. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 4 x 10 bundles, 5892 ft. 10 in., on 1614 open steel shelves and in 262 open metal boxes. Rs. 1419 and 1527. (524, 1384)



68. MISCELLANEOUS CASE RECORDS, May term 1899; May term 1900 - Oct. term 1901; Oct. term 1918; May term 1926. Handwritten accounts of moneys paid to creditors out of remaining assets of bankrupts. Listed numerically. (Occasionally, official.)  $12 \times 16\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 2 ft. 10 in., on open steel shelf. Corners worn. R. 1419. (770)

69. ANCILLARY AND MISCELLANEOUS CASES IN BANKRUPTCY, ACT OF 1898, Mar. 15, 1899 - May 13, 1927. Petitions for appointment of ancillary receivers, ancillary proceedings in bankruptcy, and petitions for examination of witnesses. Filed numerically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 3 ft. 6 in., in 8 wooden document holders. Dirty. R. 1419. (1390)

70. MISCELLANEOUS BANKRUPTCY FILES, Mar. 18, 1919 - Dec. 16, 1926. Orders to commit, orders to pay witnesses, orders to pay petit jurors, subpoenas to witnesses, and orders to pay grand jurors. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  folded papers, 48 ft., in 8 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 1419. (1250)

71. LIST OF BANKRUPTCY COMMISSIONS UNDER FIRST FEDERAL BANKRUPTCY ACT, Mar. 14, 1801 - Apr. 23, 1830. Record of commissions in bankruptcy cases. Arranged numerically. (Never.)  $8 \times 12$  and  $8 \times 12\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (509)

72. REGISTER OF BANKRUPTCY CASES, Feb. 2, 1842 - June 14, 1844. Showing progress of each case and its final disposition under the bankruptcy act passed by Congress, Aug. 10, 1841, and repealed Mar. 3, 1843. Arranged numerically. (Never.)  $10\frac{1}{2} \times 15 \frac{3}{4}$  vols.,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Leather covers in poor condition. R. 1419. (1168)

73. ASSIGNEES APPOINTED UNDER ACT OF 1841, Mar. 16, 1842 - Apr. 7, 1842. Records tabulate names and addresses of appointees, amounts and dates of their bonds, and case numbers assigned each appointee. (Never.)  $7 \frac{3}{4} \times 10$  and  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{1}{2}$  vol.,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (772)

74. INDEX CARDS OF BANKRUPTCY CASES, Jan. 1, 1898 - Dec. 31, 1933. Handwritten cards showing date, location and number of bankruptcy cases. Filed alphabetically. (Occasionally, official.)  $3 \times 5$  bundles, 47 ft. 6 in., in 5 wooden drawers. Dirty, sooty. R. 1419. (1559)

75. LIST OF BANKRUPTS, ACT OF 1898, Aug. 1, 1898 - July 31, 1905. Arranged alphabetically. Two identical volumes; printed. (Never.)  $9 \times 11$  vols., 3 in., on wooden shelf, in an enclosed wooden bookcase. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (1176)

76. LIST OF CLOSED BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS, June 9, 1913 - Apr. 30, 1928. Summary of closed bankruptcy petitions on file in clerk's office. Arranged chronologically. (Rarely, official.)  $8 \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in., in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (1194)



77. PROOFS OF DEBTS IN BANKRUPTCY, Feb. 2, 1842 - Dec. 1, 1842. Showing bankrupts and their creditors, together with the disposition of cases. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 10$  vols., 1 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1004)

78. PROOF OF DEBTS IN BANKRUPTCY, First Tuesday of Sept. 1842 - Oct. 16, 1844. List of bankrupts and their creditors. Volume I, arranged alphabetically; volume II, arranged chronologically. (Never.)  $10\frac{1}{2} \times 16$  vols., 4 in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (771)

79. CREDITORS' CLAIMS UNDER SCHEDULE A, BANKRUPTCY, Dec. 1, 1842 - Dec. 15, 1842. Classification of creditors' claims under Schedule A. Cases 2161 to 2360 only, others were not found. Captions include dates, names of creditors, residence, nature of debt, and amount. Entered numerically. Indexed. (Never.)  $10 \frac{3}{4} \times 15\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. Damaged by faulty containers. R. 1419. (989)

80. COMPOSITION LEDGER, Jan. 1, 1907 - Mar. 19, 1936. Handwritten ledger, with entries regarding bankruptcy funds. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $15 \times 17$  vols.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., on steel roller shelf. R. 1525. (1860)

81. COMPOSITION FOR PAYMENTS, Nov. 16, 1914 to date. Records giving name of creditor, name and address of attorneys, check number, amount (privileged and nonprivileged) and payment. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $12 \times 17$  vols., 1 ft. 10 in., on open wooden shelf. R. 1525. (2114)

82. COMPOSITION CHECKS, July 12, 1916 to date. Cancelled checks, drawn by district court on various banks for distribution of bankruptcy funds. Arranged chronologically and numerically. Indexed. (Monthly, official.)  $3 \times 8$  loose papers, 21 ft., on 6 wooden shelves and in 21 pasteboard boxes. R. 1525. (1930)

83. DIVIDENDS DECLARED IN BANKRUPTCY CASES, ACT OF 1841, Aug. 30, 1842 - Fourth Tuesday in July 1845. Names of bankrupts and assignees, together with costs and dividends declared and returnable. Listed chronologically. Indexed. (Never.)  $10 \times 11\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on enclosed wooden shelf. Dirty, bindings broken. R. 1419. (1261)

84. RECORD OF BANKRUPTCY DIVIDENDS, ACT OF 1841, Aug. 26, 1842 - Aug. 27, 1844. Record of bankrupts showing the residence, amount of cash in court, fees, costs, commissioner to whom referred, and dividends paid. Arranged numerically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 9 \frac{3}{4}$  vols.,  $\frac{3}{4}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1024)

85. BANKRUPTCY DISCHARGES UNDER THE FIRST ACT, Apr. 4, 1800 - Dec. 19, 1803. (Never.)  $8 \times 13$  vols.,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Dirty. R. 1419. (511)

86. MINUTE DOCUMENTS OF PETITIONS FOR DISCHARGES; BANKRUPTCY ACT OF 1867, June 3, 1867 - Sept. 3, 1869. Relative to petitions for discharges in bankruptcy. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 14$  bundles, 2 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty, torn. R. 1419. (1094)





87. CLERK'S STATISTICS IN BANKRUPTCY, July 1, 1916 - July 1, 1934. Bankruptcy Forms 3. Arranged chronologically. (Infrequently, official.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x 16 bundles, 2 ft., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1299)
88. REFEREES' STATISTICS IN BANKRUPTCY, July 1, 1916 - July 1934. Several gaps, 9 years in all. Filed chronologically. (Rarely, official.) Various sized bundles, 13 ft. 8 in., on 4 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (1557)
89. TRANSCRIPTS OF EVIDENCE IN BANKRUPTCY HEARINGS, Dec. 5, 1927 - May 3, 1929. Records of direct, indirect, and cross-examinations at bankruptcy hearings. Arranged chronologically. (Rarely, official.)  $9 \times 11\frac{1}{2}$  loose-leaf books, 6 ft. 4 in., on  $2\frac{1}{2}$  closed wooden shelves. R. 1419. (1186)
90. LETTERS OF ADVICE, Jan. 6, 1921 - Dec. 17, 1934. Letters sent from various banks in state containing case number, name of bankrupt, and handwritten entries advising court that a sum of money affected by the bankruptcy has been deposited. Arranged chronologically. (Rarely, official.)  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x 9 letters, 1 ft., in pasteboard box. R. 1525. (2117)
91. TRUSTEES' BONDS, BANKRUPTCY ACT OF 1898, Mar. 23, 1905 - Sept. 8, 1925. Records of original bonds filed by trustees in bankruptcy. Sureties in the several cases were furnished by authorized insurance companies or proper individuals. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Occasionally, official.)  $6 \times 10$  bundles, 27 ft. 4 in., on 9 open steel shelves. Dirty. R. 1419. (1165)
92. TRUSTEES' BONDS AND MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS IN BANKRUPTCY, ACT OF 1898, Sept. 5, 1925 - Feb. 9, 1928. Records of claims, reports, petitions, accounts, orders, notices, and bonds connected with various cases in bankruptcy. (Never.)  $4 \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 7 ft., on 3 open steel shelves. Dirty. R. 1419. (1552)
93. UNDISBURSED BALANCES IN BANKRUPTCY CASES, Mar. 8, 1917 - Jan. 2, 1930. Records referring to statments of various referees from several counties in Massachusetts. Filed numerically. (Never.)  $10 \times 14$  envelopes,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in., in steel filing drawer. R. 1525. (2254)
94. UNDISBURSED BANKRUPTCY BALANCES, Apr. 4, 1930 to date. Letters from attorneys and creditors relative to unclaimed checks arising from bankruptcy cases. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.)  $3 \times 8$  bundles, 1 ft., in pasteboard box. R. 1525. (2278)
95. ACCOUNTANT'S BOOK OF BANKRUPTCY CASES, 1842 - 1846. Filed numerically. (Never.)  $8 \times 13$  vols.,  $\frac{3}{4}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (57)
96. DAILY CASH BOOK, BANKRUPTCY CASES, May 21, 1842 - Aug. 13, 1845. Daily reports of sums received and disbursed by court. Entered chronologically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{4} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 in., on open steel shelf. Binding cracked. R. 1419. (1091)



97. BANKRUPTCY LEDGER, ACT OF 1841, July 6, 1842 - May 6, 1845. Records of cash taken in and distributed by court officials. Arranged numerically.  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 vols.,  $7\frac{3}{4}$  in., on open steel shelf. Covers badly worn. R. 1419. (1195)
98. BANKRUPTCY LEDGER, CASH PAID INTO COURT, Oct. 20, 1842 - Nov. 29, 1856. Record of all money collected and turned over to clerk of district court under the act of 1841. Arranged alphabetically. (Never.) 9 x 14 vols.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Covers worn on edges. R. 1419. (773)
99. COSTS BOOK, BANKRUPTCY ACT OF 1841, Dec. 20, 1842 - June 14, 1844. Costs of court procedure in bankruptcy cases; entries of charges for notices, for filing petition, for filing schedules, etc. Listed numerically. Indexed. (Never.) 8 x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (1164)
100. BANKRUPTCY LEDGER, Sept. 28, 1898 - Feb. 27, 1905. Ledger shows amounts of money deposited by bankrupts to be distributed among several claimants in composition cases and the cash account of the referees' and trustees' fees. Arranged chronologically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 14 vols.,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Bindings torn and worn. R. 1419. (954)
101. A LIST OF DEPOSITS OF BANKRUPTCY FUNDS, Nov. 4, 1898 - June 30, 1916. Record of deposits and list of designated depositories for bankruptcy funds. Arranged numerically. (Never.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 vols., 4 in., on open steel shelf. Bindings dirty and dusty. R. 1419. (1160)
102. BANKRUPTCY PAYMENTS UNDER THE LAW OF 1898, Nov. 19, 1898 - May 11, 1910. Accounts of money paid to creditors out of assets of bankrupts. Entered numerically. (Occasionally, official.) 12 x  $16\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 2 ft. 10 in., on open steel shelf. Corners of volumes worn. R. 1419. (1310)
103. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, Nov. 4, 1898 - June 22, 1916. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 24 ft., on 3 open steel shelves and in 24 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (1943)
104. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, May 6, 1914 - June 2, 1927. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 5 ft., on open steel shelf and in 5 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (2072)
105. CANCELLED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, July 10, 1916 - Feb. 18, 1929. Cancelled checks drawn on 3rd National Bank of Springfield in payment of bankruptcy claims. Arranged chronologically and numerically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 1 ft., on open steel shelf and in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (1908)



106. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, NATIONAL SHAWMUT BANK OF BOSTON, July 17, 1916 - May 25, 1928. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 6 ft., on open steel shelf and in 6 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (2079)
107. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, Aug. 31, 1916 - Jan. 20, 1923. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 5 ft., on open steel shelf and in 5 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (1944)
108. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, BLY STATE NATIONAL BANK, LAWRENCE, Oct. 16, 1916 - Mar. 17, 1935. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 1 ft., on open steel shelf and in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (1911)
109. CANCELLED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, Mar. 12, 1917 - June 25, 1925. Records of cancelled checks drawn on Mechanics National Bank of Worcester in payment of bankruptcy claims. Arranged chronologically and numerically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 1 ft., on open steel shelf and in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (1912)
110. CANCELLED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, Oct. 8, 1917 - Oct. 15, 1923. Cancelled checks drawn on Merchants National Bank of Salem in payment of bankruptcy claims. Arranged chronologically and numerically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 1 ft., in pasteboard box and on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1914)
111. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, Dec. 1, 1917 - Oct. 1, 1925. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 2 ft., on open steel shelf and in 2 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (1891)
112. RETURNED BANKRUPTCY CHECKS, FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NEW BEDFORD, Nov. 10, 1919 - Dec. 19, 1931. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 1 ft., on open steel shelf, and in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (1915)
113. CANCELLED CHECKS, May 1, 1922 - Feb. 10, 1932. Checks drawn on First National Bank of Boston and issued in payment of referees' and trustees' fees in bankruptcy cases. Filed chronologically and numerically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 8 ft., on open steel shelf and in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (2068)
114. FEES COLLECTED IN BANKRUPTCY CASES, Aug. 1, 1898 - Dec. 31, 1906. Fees of clerk, referee, and trustee. Listed numerically. (Occasionally, official.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x  $14\frac{3}{4}$  vols.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken and worn. R. 1419. (1200)
115. REFEREES' FEES IN BANKRUPTCY, Aug. 1, 1898 - Dec. 1, 1906. Listed numerically. (Occasionally, official.)  $14\frac{1}{2}$  x 17 and 9 x 14 vols.,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. Bindings worn. R. 1419. (1095)



116. TRUSTEES' FEES IN BANKRUPTCY, Mar. 1, 1899 - Mar. 4, 1924. Amounts of money paid by clerk of court to various trustees in bankrupt cases. Listed numerically. (Occasionally, official.)  $14\frac{1}{2} \times 17\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 4 in., on open steel shelf. Covers dirty and dusty. R. 1419. (1197)

117. ORDERS TO PAY REFEREES' AND TRUSTEES' FEES IN BANK, Nov. 4, 1898 - May 7, 1913. Orders of either judge or clerk of court directing that fees of referees and trustees be paid immediately from bankruptcy registry. Entered chronologically. (Occasionally, official.)  $9 \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 4 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty. R. 1419. (1003)

118. BANKRUPTCY FEES ACCOUNT, MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, Jan. 6, 1907 - Dec. 11, 1915. Cancelled checks. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 4 ft., on open steel shelf and in 4 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (2030)

119. BANKRUPTCY NOTICE FEE BOOK, Jan. 17, 1917 - Mar. 18, 1926. Record of fees paid for various notices connected with bankruptcy. Arranged chronologically. (Occasionally, official.)  $9 \times 14\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 in., on open steel shelf. Binding broken and worn. R. 1419. (990)

120. BANKRUPTCY FEES ACCOUNT, NATIONAL SHAWMUT BANK OF BOSTON, Mar. 17, 1919 - Feb. 20, 1923. Cancelled checks. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 2 ft., on open steel shelf and in 2 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (2038)

121. BANKRUPTCY FEES ACCOUNT, FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON ACCOUNT, May 1, 1922 - Feb. 10, 1932. Filed numerically and chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, 8 ft., on open steel shelf and in 3 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (2100)

122. BANKRUPTCY FEES, Feb. 10, 1932 - July 8, 1935. Cancelled checks paid out by court to various individuals involved in bankruptcy cases. Filed chronologically and numerically. Indexed. (Rarely, official.)  $3 \times 8$  loose papers, 3 ft., in pasteboard box. R. 1525. (1389)

123. LISTS OF PAYMENTS OF REFEREES' AND TRUSTEES' FEES, Oct. 31, 1934 to date. Arranged chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $15 \times 17$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on desk. R. 1525. (1727)

124. INDIVIDUAL JOURNALS OF BANKRUPTCY, Sept. 3, 1803 - Mar. 23, 1826. Five pamphlets each relating to an individual case with minutes of court. (Never.)  $7 \times 8$  pamphlets, 1 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty, torn. R. 1419. (502)

125. ORIGINAL BANKRUPTCY DOCUMENTS, ACT OF 1898, Dec. 3, 1923 - Aug. 10, 1925. Papers in the cases of G. F. Redmond and Company, C. P. Dow, R. H. Long Company, and Hunt, Ellis and Company, including several bundles of testimony. Indexed. (Occasionally, official.)





4 x 9 bundles, 44 ft. 9 in., on wooden shelves in an enclosed cabinet. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty. R. 1419. (1101)

126. CREDITORS PROOFS OF DEBT, ACT OF 1898, Sept. 28, 1925 - Mar. 19, 1926. Proofs of unsecured debts, reclamation petitions, and affidavits, all against C. P. Dow and Company. (Occasionally, official.) 4 x 10 paper packages, 2 ft. 3 in., in open wooden drawer. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty. R. 1419. (1257)

127. CREDITORS' CLAIMS IN THE CASE OF CHARLES PONZI, DOING BUSINESS UNDER THE NAME OF SECURITIES EXCHANGE CO., BANKRUPT, Aug. 9, 1920 - Aug. 9, 1921. This is an involuntary bankruptcy case, one of largest, considering number of persons affected, and amount involved, that has ever been filed in local bankruptcy court. Filed alphabetically. Indexed. (Never.) 4 x 11 packages, 26 ft. 7 in., on 4 wooden shelves. R. 1419. (1502)

128. CREDITORS' CLAIMS IN THE CASE OF THE OLD COLONY FOREIGN EXCHANGE COMPANY, BANKRUPT, CASE NO. 28070, Aug. 16, 1920 - Aug. 15, 1921. Formal proofs of debts; also, bonds issued by bankrupt company, which proved to be a "get rich quick" concern enticing the gullible with a promise to pay 50% profit. Indexed. (Never.)  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 bundles, 2 ft., in open wooden box. Dirty. R. 1419. (1600)

129. RECEIVER'S REPORTS, Oct. 29, 1930 - July 1, 1933. Reports include correspondence, inventories, and financial statements submitted by receiver in bankruptcy on a single case. Filed chronologically. Indexed. (Never.) 10 x  $11\frac{1}{2}$  loose-leaf books,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1246)

130. PROOF OF DEBTS IN THE MATTER OF THE WHITMAN MILLS, BANKRUPTCY ACT OF 1898, Aug. 23 - Dec. 27, 1932. With these proofs are now the worthless stocks and bonds issued by Whitman Mills. Indexed. (Never.)  $3\frac{3}{4}$  x 10 loose papers, 3 ft. 9 in., in wooden box. Dirty. R. 1419. (1602)

(Admiralty)

131. PETITIONS FOR RECOGNIZANCE, June 23, 1803 - July 9, 1817. Transcripts of various petitions of individuals whose goods or ships have been confiscated as prizes of war and disposed of by court for violation of the embargo against Great Britain. Several British ships, prizes of war, were petitioned for by their American agents. The usual plea was ignorance on the part of the ship's master of prevailing conditions, as the ship was forty or more days distant from America and communications were extremely slow; also, in cases where dates of sailing made ignorance impossible, storms and almost being wrecked were given as excuses for prolongation of voyage and arrival at a United States port after the embargo had gone into effect. Filed chronologically. (Rarely, historical.) 13 x 18 vols., 4 in., on closed steel shelf. R. 1419. (112)



## 132. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT PRIZE RECORDS, 1812 - 1816.

Voluminous handwritten transcripts of various papers used in prize court and admiralty proceedings against prizes of war, together with original supporting documents in these cases. The latter include: rules relative to the custody and sale of prize vessels and to the distribution of prize money; depositions, oaths, commissions, warrants, orders, affidavits, and "...passes, sea briefs, charter parties, bills of lading, cocquets, letters, and other documents and writings...found on board..." prize vessels. Most of the documents have been copied in full into the bound record, but the seals on a few letters have never been broken. Transcripts entered chronologically; supporting papers in bundles arranged by ships' names. Cross index to bound volumes and bundled papers now available. (Rarely, historical.) 11 x 17 vols. (12), 2 ft. 8 in., on open steel shelf; variously sized bundles, 16 cubic ft. in steel cabinet. Leather covers tattered, bindings broken; papers brittle and damaged by rodents. R. 1419. (114)

133. ADMIRALTY DOCKETS, Jan. 5, 1927 - May 21, 1935. Showing case number, title, attorney, date of filing and proceeding, courts fees and amounts reported in emolument returns. Arranged chronologically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 15 x 15½ vols., 5½ in., on 2 open steel roller shelves. Bindings broken. R. 1525. (2307)

134. SEAMEN'S LEDGER, Sept. 26, 1927 to date. Mostly cases of deserters, vessels involved; fines imposed, etc. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.) 12 x 17 vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1525. (1910)

135. LIST OF PRIZE CASES, Mar. 18, 1862 - Oct. 27, 1863. Mostly concerning British, American, and Confederate blockade runners made prize by Union gunboats and brought into Boston; includes papers showing returns from sales, disposition costs, and prize money distributed among captors. (Never.) 3½ x 8 bundles, 1 in., in wooden box. R. 1419. (775)

136. ADMIRALTY CASES OF THE DISTRICT COURT, ORIGINAL PAPERS, Dec. 1926 - Dec. 31, 1935. Writs, affidavits, decrees, etc., for each case. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Frequently, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 13 ft. 6 in., on 5 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (485)

137. ADMIRALTY CASES, Jan. 24, 1928 - June 6, 1936. Briefs, writs, and affidavits. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 3 ft. 4 in., in 2 metal filing drawers. R. 1525. (1751)

138. SEAMEN'S CASES, Nov. 16, 1928 - May 2, 1936. Mostly concerning demands for wages. Filed numerically. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 1 ft. 6 in., in metal filing drawer. R. 1525. (1750)

139. UNITED STATES VS. BRIGANTINE WILLIAM, Dec. 22, 1807 - Sept. 1, 1808. Case concerning seizure of brigantine William which had transferred her cargo at sea to the Nancy and Mary bound to foreign ports in violation of the embargo act. The William's owners contended act unconstitutional. (Never.) 3 x 9 bundles, ½ in., on open steel shelf. Damaged by careless handling, brittle, dirty. R. 1419. (1401)

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140. LETTERS TAKEN FROM SHIP HERALD, Aug. - Sept. 1863. Letters by private citizens of the Confederacy containing observations of conditions in South during Civil War. Herald was doubtless a blockade runner. See addenda for details. (Never.) 6 x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  and 8 x 11 bundles, 3/4 in., in wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1227)

141. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS IN CASE OF DOLNER ET AL VS. STEAMER MONTICELLO, May 16, 1870 - June 28, 1870. Record of evidence, pleadings, and orders entered in case. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 vols., 4 x 8 documents, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on floor. R. 1419. (1244)

142. LOG STEAMER URIEL, Dec. 19, 1847 - Jan. 28, 1849. Records of routine and unusual occurrences on board the Uriel. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 15 vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Ink faded. R. 1419. (1170)

143. LOG OF SHIP BROOKLINE, June 20, 1844 - Feb. 25, 1845. Records of weather conditions and occurrences on board ship Brookline during its sailings between Boston and Ichaboa. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 14 $\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Dirty, torn, ink faded. R. 1419. (1503)

144. LOG OF SHIP MONTGOMERY, Jan. 30, 1843 - Mar. 24, 1844. Records of sailings of ship Montgomery from Boston to Bermuda, from Boston to Manila, and all occurrences aboard the Montgomery. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 vols., 3/4 in., in wooden box. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1026)

145. LOG OF SHIP PALMYRA, Apr. 8, 1849 - Apr. 2, 1850. Records of weather conditions, and routine and unusual occurrences on board the Palmyra. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 15 $\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 3/4 in., in wooden box. Ink faded. R. 1419. (1260)

146. VARIOUS BOOKS OF STEAMER P. C. WALLIS, Dec. 1, 1859 - Dec. 5, 1861. Collection of books consisting of passage register, crew and general lodgers; receipt, wood cargo, cash letter, order, and memoranda books; and a manifest of steamer's cargo. See addenda for details. (Never.) Various sized vols., and bundles, 7 in., in wooden box. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1175)

147. LOG OF SCHOONER JULIA, ST. JOHN, N.B., June 22, 1860 - Oct. 5, 1861. Gaps: Jan. 1 - Feb. 19, 1861; Aug. 27 - Sept. 6, 1861. Records of routine and unusual incidents during voyages. The Julia, was engaged in freighting cargoes from St. John, N. B., to Halifax, N. S. until Sept. 6, 1861, when she started on a voyage to Havana. On Sept. 23, 1861, she was captured as a blockade runner. See addenda for details. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 8 x 13 vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Damaged by careless handling, dirty, bindings broken. R. 1419. (1167)

148. LOG OF BRIG AMY WARWICK, Oct. 27, 1860 - July 20, 1861.



Records of routine and unusual occurrences during voyages of the blockade runner Amy Warwick. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 15 $\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 7/8 in., in wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, bindings broken. R. 1419. (653)

149. LOG OF THE VICTORIA, Feb. 8, 1862 - Apr. 9, 1862. This blockade runner flying Confederate colors carried cotton out to Havana and a nondescript cargo home to Mobile. On her last voyage in convoy with the Southern Independence and the Pioneer she stood to sea and was taken by one of the blockading squadron early next morning. Several interesting statements depicting the personal feelings of the writer are entered in this log. See addenda for details. (Never.) 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 $\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (652)

150. LOG OF THE RICHARD O'BRYAN, June 15, 1862 - July 2, 1862. Records of all routine and unusual occurrences during voyage from Jamaica to Matamoras. See addenda for details. (Never.) 9 $\frac{1}{4}$  x 12 vols.,  $\frac{1}{4}$  in., in wooden box. Damaged by careless handling, dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (649)

151. LOG AND PAPERS OF STEAMER CORNUBIA, Aug. 6, 1862 - Sept. 10, 1863. Records of daily proceedings and unusual occurrences on board the Cornubia. The Cornubia of London sailed for various European and African ports until Nov. 20, 1862 when she began to run the blockade between Wilmington and Bermuda. Although no record of capture is made, she appears in the prize lists of the district court. See addenda for further details. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 13 vols., and variously sized loose papers, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Damaged by careless handling, dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1560)

152. VARIOUS PAPERS, FOREIGN CARGO BOOK, AND MARKET BOOK OF STEAMER ARIES, Oct. 15, 1862 - May 9, 1863. Personal correspondence, certificates, agreements and accounts of crew; foreign cargo book listing articles traded (especially rum) and market book of articles used by crew. No log found. (Never.) Various sized vols., envelopes, and bundles, 4 in., in wooden box. Dirty. R. 1419. (1169)

153. LOG OF H.M.S. ELSIE, Nov. 8, 1862 - Aug. 7, 1864. Engineer's log and ship's officers' computation book with letters which show that at one time the Elsie was assigned to patrol duty along the coast of India. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 8 x 13 and 10 x 13 $\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (3253)

154. LOG OF STEAMER GIRAFFE OF LONDON, Nov. 11, 1862 - Nov. 10, 1863. Entries of Nov. 9, and 10, 1863 concern its capture by steamer Robert E. Lee; records of various routine happenings on board the Giraffe during its voyage from Glasgow to Vera Cruz. See addenda for further details. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 11 x 13 vols., 3/8 in., in wooden box. Damaged by careless handling, dirty. R. 1419. (1166)





155. LOG OF SHIP BANSHEE, Nov. 12, 1862 - July 29, 1863. Records of weather and all routine and unusual occurrences that took place on board or were witnessed from the Banshee. The Banshee was engaged in a three-cornered traffic, loading provisions for the Confederate army in New York and carrying them to Mexico where they were discharged and carried across the border into Texas. In Mexico the ship was loaded with cotton and sailed to Nassau where it picked up a cargo to be carried back to New York, see addenda for further details. (Never.) 10 x 15 vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty, bindings broken. R. 1419. (650)

156. LOG OF STEAMER ATLANTA, Dec. 10, 1862 - June 16, 1863. The usual complete log entries recording weather, routine activities, and unusual occurrences on board the Atlanta until she was (presumably) taken prize by a Union gunboat. Many deserters were committed to this ship while she was employed in clearing obstructions in Savannah harbor. The obstructions probably had been sunk by Union Boats to close the harbor. Jan. 24th, 1863, the last obstruction was blown up and a passage to the sea opened. June 16th, 1863, the day of the last entry, probably dates her capture. (Never.)  $16\frac{1}{2}$  x  $22\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{3}{4}$  in., on open steel shelf. Damaged by careless handling, dirty, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (281)

157. LOG OF SCHOONER ALMA, Mar. 7 - May 4, 1863. Records of weather conditions and unusual occurrences aboard the Alma, captured by U.S. brig Perry as a blockade runner and sold at auction together with its cargo on Oct. 3, 1862. Entered chronologically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{4}$  x  $13\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{8}$  in., in wooden box. Dirty, torn, ink faded. R. 1419. (1332)

158. LOG OF STEAMER R.E. LEE OF WILMINGTON, N.C., May 19 - Nov. 9, 1863. Records of weather, routine, courses, and unusual occurrences, also various papers, letters, orders (especially for ammunition) and sales slips which came from the R.E. Lee. New registration as taken out for each voyage of the ship and the muster roll shows a marked change in the crew for each trip. It is obvious that she was captured by the Union boats at this time, Nov. 9, 1863, but it is problematical that the crew was taken. See addenda for details. (Never.) 11 x 31 vols., and variously sized loose papers,  $2\frac{3}{4}$  in., in wooden box. Dirty, torn, scattered, damaged by careless handling, ink faded. R. 1419. (479)

159. LOG OF STEAMER CONQUEROR, Oct. 5, 1863 - Mar. 25, 1864. Records of weather conditions, routine, and unusual occurrences on board the Conqueror. (Never.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x  $15\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (1259)

160. LOG OF STEAMER MINNIE, Jan. 31, 1864 - Mar. 22, 1864. Records of weather, list of crew, and happenings on board the Minnie. See addenda for details. (Never.)  $10\frac{1}{2}$  x  $12\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Damaged by water, dirty, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (1174)



161. LOG OF SHIP TRISTRAM SHANDY, Mar. 3, 1864 - May 8, 1864. Records of routine and unusual occurrences on board the Tristram Shandy. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 11 x 13 vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Dirty. R. 1419. (1203)

162. LOG OF STEAMER HOPE, July 14, - Oct. 3, 1864. Records of daily happenings etc. A muster roll of ship's crew and officers, and list of ship's stores are in front of the log. See addenda for details. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 12 vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Damaged by careless handling, faulty containers, dirty. R. 1419. (1092)

163. LOG OF STEAMER BAT, Sept. 6 - Oct. 8, 1864. Records of weather conditions during voyage of steamer Bat, from Liverpool to Halifax, and from Halifax to Nassau. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 12 vols., 1 ft., in wooden box. Dirty. R. 1419. (1199)

164. LOG OF STEAMER NELLIE STARR, Feb. 24, 1871 - Dec. 25, 1872. Records of weather conditions, routine, and unusual occurrences on board the Nellie Starr. Entered chronologically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x  $13\frac{3}{4}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (1264)

165. LOG OF SCHOONER CENTENNIAL, Sept. 23, 1877 - July 2, 1879. Records of weather conditions and happenings aboard the schooner Centennial during its trips from Portland to Cork and other ports. Nothing to show why ship was seized. (Never.)  $10\frac{1}{2}$  x 16 vols., 1 in., in wooden box. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1202)

166. LOG OF BARK, E. C. LITCHFIELD, June 3, 1879 - May 31, 1880. Records of routine happenings on board E. C. Litchfield. No indication how this log came into custody of court. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 15 vols., 7 x 12 loose papers,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Dirty, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (3084)

(Special Civil Matters)

167. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS REFERRING TO PATENT CASES, Feb. 1, 1873 - Jan. 1, 1920. Records of testimony given prior to 1911 before the circuit court and thereafter before this district court in patent cases, including sketches and drawings of patented inventions used as exhibits. (Never.) 8 x 13 bundles, 3 ft., in wooden cabinet. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty. R. 1419. (1604)

168. REGISTRATION OF LABELS, Sept. 7, 1874 - June 26, 1878. Records of registrations of trade-mark labels, fees collected from applicants, and certificates. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 9 x  $13\frac{1}{2}$  vols.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open stool shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (1389)

169. STATEMENTS OF TRACTS OF LAND, OR OTHER REAL PROPERTY, PURCHASED BY COLLECTOR ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES FOR DIRECT TAX, Jan. 1 -



Dec. 31, 1814. Records give names of taxable persons and where resident; amount of taxes; descriptions, situations, and quantities of property sold; names of owners, or presumed owners; dates when sold, amounts paid by owners on redemption. After the War of 1812, the Government levied a direct tax on lands and buildings. These records show the number of foreclosures for nonpayment, whether poverty or opposition to tax was the cause of foreclosure is not known. A Marblehead house was foreclosed for 18 cents. See addenda for details. Filed geographically. (Never.)  $16\frac{1}{2}$  x 20 vols., and 15 x 24 covers, 3 in., in wooden trunk. Damaged by careless handling and faulty containers. R. 1419. (1245)

170. PETITIONS FOR REMISSION, May 31, 1817 - May 5, 1880. Records of cases for remission of fines and forfeitures. Many of them filed after 1817 are pleas for remission of fines imposed during war period for violating embargo act. Filed chronologically. Index. (Never.) 8 x 13 vols., 7 in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (506)

(Criminal)

171. CRIMINAL DOCKET, Jan. 2, 1907 - June 23, 1936. Reports on all criminal cases heard in this court, including defendants' names, charges, and dispositions of cases. Arranged chronologically. Index. (Daily, official.) 15 x 17 vols., 5 ft. 4 in., on 23 open steel roller shelves. R. 1525. (1858)

172. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, INFORMATION, May 8, 1920 - Oct. 23, 1929. Original writs, warrants, and decrees. Prior to 1920 similar papers were included in the general files; similar papers from 1929 to date are in the clerk's office. Filed numerically. Index. (Occasionally, official.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 envelopes, 4 ft. 11 in., in metal filing drawer and on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1243)

173. CRIMINAL INFORMATION, EVADING THE DRAFT, TAX LIEN NOTICES, June 5, 1920 - Apr. 22, 1922. About 8000 cases. Filed numerically. Index. (Never.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 envelopes, 1 ft. 11 in., in metal filing drawer. R. 1419. (1531)

174. CRIMINAL CASES, June 25, 1921 - June 10, 1936. Filed numerically. Index. (Daily, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 20 ft., in 10 metal filing drawers. R. 1525. (1753)

175. TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS IN CRIMINAL CASES, Dec. 24, 1930 - June 8, 1931. Proceedings before United States commissioner showing names, addresses, recognizances of defendants, search warrants, affidavits, and fees. Filed numerically. Index. (Never.) 4 x 9 documents, 2 ft. 2 in., in wooden filing drawer. R. 1419. (1605)



## (United States Commissioner)

176. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS' CRIMINAL DOCKETS, Nov. 30, 1858 - Nov. 26, 1928. Filed chronologically. Index. (Never.) Various sized vols., 5 ft. 3 in., on 2 open steel shelves. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (1001)
177. CRIMINAL DOCKET OF UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS, Nov. 25, 1887 - June 9, 1888. Record of criminal hearings before United States commissioner and actions entered in each case. Majority of cases involve violation of postal laws. (Never.)  $10\frac{1}{2} \times 12\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 in., on open steel shelf. Bindings broken. R. 1419. (774)
178. CRIMINAL EXAMINATIONS BEFORE DISTRICT JUDGE, Aug. 4, 1834 - Aug. 10, 1842. The first part of the volume is the record of criminal examinations by a district judge in the circuit court; the remainder of the volume is a record of criminal examinations by circuit court commissioners (now called United States commissioners), for the period Jan. 19, 1862 - Dec. 21, 1880. Entered chronologically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 13$  vols.,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1263)
179. PAPERS RETURNED BY UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS IN CRIMINAL EXAMINATIONS, Jan. 26, 1881 - June 15, 1936. Handwritten list of defendants in criminal cases. Entered numerically and chronologically. (Monthly, official.)  $7 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 3 in., on top of wooden cabinet. R. 1525. (2016)
180. DOCKET, FRANCIS S. FISKE, UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER, Mar. 15, 1893 - Jan. 18, 1895. Hearings before commissioner, and dispositions made. Filed numerically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1102)
181. RECORD OF UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER, FRANK F. DRESSER, Mar. 20, 1899 - Aug. 17, 1920. Hearings held before him and disposition of cases. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $7 \times 8\frac{1}{4}$  vols., 3 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1172)
182. COMMISSIONERS' FEES, July 1, 1924 to date. Records of commissioners' accounts and abstracts of fee bills due commissioners. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 14$  envelopes, 1 ft. 5 in., in steel filing drawer. R. 1525. (1939)
183. RECORDS AND PAPERS OF COMMISSIONERS, Jan. 1, 1931 - Dec. 30, 1935. Miscellaneous records and papers connected with cases heard before commissioners. Filed numerically. Index. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 9$  bundles, 11 in., in tin document holder and on open steel shelf. Damaged by careless handling, dirty, scattered, ink faded. R. 1419. (1251)
184. COMMISSIONERS' PAPERS, REPORTS FOR 1930, Jan. 1 - Dec. 31, 1930. Records of fees due United States commissioners, for hearings; originals sent quarterly to Department of Justice. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $9 \times 14$  bundles,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1551)





185. TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS, UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS, May 18, 1927 - July 5, 1927. Original papers, warrants and recognizances, in cases heard before United States commissioners. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 paper packages, 7 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (1163)

186. COMMISSIONERS PAPERS, 1843 - 1935; 1863 - 1906 missing. Complaints, summonses, warrants, orders to come before and to commit, recognizances, and transcripts of proceedings. Cases of violence on the high seas, illegal sales of merchandise, illegal practice in professions, and cases of desertion by Union soldiers during the Civil War. Index. (Rarely, official.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x 8 bundles, 193 ft. 6 in., on 68 open steel shelves. Dirty. R. 1419. (239)

(Naturalization)

187. RECORDS OF NATURALIZATION, Dec. 7, 1790 - Sept. 26, 1906. Entered chronologically. Index. (Occasionally, official.) 10 x 14 vols., 61 ft. 2 in., on steel shelves. Damaged by handling, bindings broken. R. 1017. (2192)

188. NATURALIZATION DOCKETS, July 16, 1908 - May 20, 1936. Records showing terms, docket numbers, and proceedings of court in matters of naturalization. Entered chronologically. Index. (Monthly, official.) 12 x 15 and 15 x 17 vols.,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in., on 2 open steel roller shelves. R. 1525. (2067)

189. RECORDS OF DECLARATION OF INTENTION, Sept. 27, 1906 to date. Forms 2202B, containing data on applicants appearing before district court for first naturalization papers. Arranged chronologically. (Daily, official.) 9 x  $11\frac{1}{2}$  vols., and 9 x 11 loose-leaf books, 93 ft. 1 in., on 33 enclosed steel shelves. R. 1017. (2633, 2634, 2635)

190. NATURALIZATION, RECORDS OF PRIMARY DECLARATIONS, July 3, 1798 - Sept. 20, 1906. Arranged chronologically. (Occasionally, official.) Various sized vols., 14 ft. 11 in., on 38 steel shelves in 3 steel cabinets. Damaged by handling, bindings broken. R. 1017. (2199, 2231)

191. PETITION AND RECORD, Oct. 6, 1906 to date. Declarations of intention, petitions, affidavits, and witnesses for naturalization applicants. Arranged numerically. Index. (Daily, official.) Various sized vols., 197 ft. 4 in., on 69 enclosed steel and wooden shelves. R. 1017. (2634, 2616, 2635)

192. STUBS OF NATURALIZATION CERTIFICATES, Oct. 12, 1906 - Dec. 2, 1929. Stubs constituting receipts for naturalization certificates as issued. Entered chronologically. (Occasionally, official.) 5 x 10 vols., 90 ft., on 56 shelves in steel cabinets. R. 1017. (2328)



193. REPORTS OF HEARINGS, Jan. 1, 1929 to date. In naturalization cases submitted to judge every week. Filed chronologically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 11 loose-leaf books, 1 ft. 4 in., on enclosed steel shelf. R. 1017. (2713)

194. DEPOSITION RECORDS, Jan. 1, 1927 - Aug. 22, 1935. Records of depositions in naturalization cases, which have been taken by masters in various cities. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 8 x 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  paper packages, 3 ft. 7 in., on enclosed steel shelf. R. 1017. (2728)

195. INTERROGATORIES AND DEPOSITIONS OF WITNESSES, July 1, 1935 - June 30, 1936. Depositions, to prove residence and other qualifications for an alien petitioner for naturalization. Filed numerically. (Frequently, official.) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  loose-leaf papers, 1 ft., in metal filing drawer. R. 1021. (2727)

196. FIRST INTENTIONS, NATURALIZATION, July 15, 1873 - Dec. 31, 1898. Handwritten entries on district court forms, used by applicants who are filing first intentions for naturalization. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 loose papers, 15 ft. 7 in., in 22 pasteboard boxes. Dirty. R. 1017. (3969)

197. DECLARATIONS OF INTENTION, Jan. 1, - July 2, 1936. Statements of facts, to be used in making statement of intentions. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 7 ft., in 4 steel filing drawers. R. 1021. (3258)

198. DUPLICATE PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATION, June 1, 1936 to date. Forms 2204 LA, duplicate petitions which accompany monthly reports to the district court. Filed numerically. (Monthly, official.) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 papers, 4 in., in metal filing case. R. 1021. (2714)

199. FIRST PAPERS, NATURALIZATION, Dec. 7, 1790 - Mar. 30, 1873. Handwritten original first papers of applicants for naturalization in the district court. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 bundles, 160 ft., on 20 enclosed steel shelves. Dirty, acattered. R. 1017. (3968)

200. NATURALIZATION CERTIFICATE STUBS, June 1, 1926 - July 2, 1936. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 paper slips, 28 ft., in 8 steel card cabinet drawers. R. 1021. (2718)

201. RECEIPTS FOR CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION, Jan. 1, 1928 - Dec. 31, 1933. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 3 x 5 bundles, 1 ft. 3 in., on enclosed metal shelf. Dirty. R. 1017. (2741)

202. REGISTRY RECEIPTS, Nov. 19, 1928 - July 1, 1932. Receipts for registered mail. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 10 x 12 paper packages, 6 in., on enclosed steel shelf. R. 1017. (2722)



203. CASH SLIPS, Jan. 2, 1931 - Dec. 31, 1934. D.C. Forms 423B, daily reports of cash received for all naturalization certificates issued. (Never.)  $5\frac{3}{4}$  x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 1 ft. 6 in., on enclosed metal shelf. R. 1017. (2720)

204. CANCELLATION OF NATURALIZATION, Mar. 1925 - Sept. 1933. Records including typed motions to cancel naturalization, evidence submitted in cases through Consular Service, and correspondence between Department of Labor and consuls. Filed numerically. (Occasionally, official.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 envelopes, 2 ft. 2 in., in 2 metal filing drawers. R. 1419. (1449)

205. DISMISSED PETITIONS, Jan. 1, 1930 - July 30, 1936. Applicants, whose petitions for naturalization have been dismissed. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 cards, 1 ft., in steel card cabinet drawer. R. 1021. (2128)

206. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS, June 23, 1918 - Dec. 31, 1919. Records of military rosters of soldiers at Camp Devens, seeking naturalization papers. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 13 x 20 paper packages, 2 ft., on enclosed metal shelf. Damaged by careless handling, dirty, torn, scattered. R. 1017. (2742)

207. NATURALIZATION CASES, UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Mar. 1921 - Dec. 31, 1935. Writs, affidavits, interrogatories, etc., for each case. Filed numerically. Index. (Frequently, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 1 ft. 8 in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (189)

208. NATURALIZATION, Oct. 22, 1924 - June 19, 1929. Letters from Department of Labor to consuls requesting information about citizens who left country before legally permitted to do so; requests for prosecution of these cases; court records thereof. Filed numerically. (Weekly, official.) 10 x 15 envelopes, 11 in., in metal filing drawer. R. 1525. (1752)

209. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, July 5, 1929 - Jan. 1, 1934. Arranged alphabetically and chronologically. (Daily, official.) 12 x 12 letter files, 2 ft. 6 in., on 3 steel shelves. R. 1017. (2237)

210. MONTHLY REPORTS, June 1, 1936 to date. Forms 2208A, records of petitions for naturalization filed with clerk of district court, showing petition numbers, names, sexes, dates of filing, and approximate dates of final hearings. Filed alphabetically. (Monthly, official.) 8 x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  papers,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in metal filing case. R. 1021. (3153)

211. OLD INDEX BOOKS, Jan. 1, 1912 - Dec. 31, 1919. Registers of naturalization applicants who filed first papers. Arranged alphabetically. (Occasionally, official.) 14 x 17 vols. (2), 7 in., on enclosed steel shelf. R. 1017. (4264)

(Attorney)

212. ADMISSIONS TO THE BAR OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Oct. 17, 1890 - June 27, 1935. Various papers relative to admissions.



Filed alphabetically within each term. Index. (Rarely, official.)  
 $4\frac{1}{4}$  x  $9\frac{1}{2}$  envelopes, 18 ft., in 4 metal filing drawers. R. 1419.  
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213. MISCELLANEOUS CASH BOOKS OF THE CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT, Apr. 7, 1807 - Dec. 31, 1922; gaps 1814 - 1826, 1835 - 1853. Records of receipts and expenditures by clerk of court. (Never.)  $14$  x  $15$  and  $9\frac{1}{4}$  x  $11\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 5 ft. 10 in., on 4 open steel shelves. Damaged by careless handling, brittle, dirty, torn, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (1680)

214. CASH BOOKS, July 31, 1918 to date; gap Dec. 31, 1918 - Jan. 22, 1920. Records of all money passing through the court, such as naturalization fees and court costs. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $15$  x  $17$  vols., 3 ft., on roller shelf. R. 1525. (1886)

215. DISTRICT COURT ORDER AND RECEIPT BOOKS, June 10, 1817 - Sept. 28, 1917. Entered chronologically. (Never.) Various sized vols., 3 ft. 8 in., on 2 open steel shelves. Bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (651)

216. COPYRIGHT ACCOUNT BOOK, 1850 - 1864. Handwritten record of copyright entries and fees. See addenda for list of prominent authors whose works are entered. Arranged chronologically. (Occasionally, historical.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  and  $6$  x  $8$  paper bound copybooks,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in., on open steel shelf. R. 1419. (53)

217. REGISTRY LEDGER, June 30, 1924 to date. Records of undisbursed bankruptcy balances, criminal bail, seamen's funds, and miscellaneous items. Arranged chronologically and by subject. (Daily, official.)  $15$  x  $17$  vols.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., on steel roller shelf. R. 1525. (1859)

218. CHECK BOOK STUBS, Jan. 20, 1894 - Oct. 11, 1933. Records of expenditures by court. Filed alphabetically by names of banks. (Never.)  $5\frac{1}{2}$  x  $15\frac{1}{4}$  vols., 11 ft. 5 in., on 2 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (2052)

219. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS RELATING TO CLERKS' FEES, Jan. 1, 1846 - May 8, 1891. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 3 ft. 6 in., on top of wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty, torn, ink faded. R. 1419. (1500)

220. EMOLUMENT ACCOUNTS, July 1, 1912 - Dec. 31, 1930. Schedules showing miscellaneous earnings of clerks and all personnel of office other than in naturalization proceedings. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $9$  x  $14$  envelopes, and  $11$  x  $14$  paper packages, 1 ft. 7 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty. R. 1525. (2409)

221. EMOLUMENT ACCOUNTS, Mar. 31, 1931 - June 30, 1934. Reports from bookkeeper's office, listing earnings of the court. Filed chronologically. (Bimonthly, official.)  $10$  x  $15$  envelopes, 4 in., on open wooden shelf. R. 1525. (2022)





222. WORK SHEETS, Jan. 13, 1923 - Sept. 30, 1930. Forms 119A, showing work done and money earned by this office. Filed chronologically. (Monthly, official.) 5 x 11 envelopes, 5 ft. 8 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty. R. 1525. (2410)

223. SUMMARIES OF DEPOSITS, June 1, 1920 to date. Records of bank balances and typed daily reports of deposits. Arranged chronologically. (Older records, never; current records, monthly, official.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 2 ft., on open steel shelf and in pasteboard box. Rs. 1419 and 1525. (1913, 1388)

224. CASH SLIPS, Jan. 1, 1924 - Dec. 31, 1933. Memorandum slips, showing cash items received daily by court. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 9 x 12 paper packages, 16 ft. 8 in., on 3 open steel shelves. R. 1419. (2086)

225. CANCELLED CHECKS, Jan. 20, 1894 - Mar. 13, 1931. Checks drawn on Merchants National Bank of Boston to pay salaries and incidental expenses of court. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 1 ft. 8 in., on open steel shelf, and in 2 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (2028)

226. CANCELLED CHECKS, July 7, 1917 - Oct. 11, 1933. Drawn on National Shawmut Bank of Boston (No. 3 Account) for payment to Department of the Treasury of money received by court in way of fees and fines. Arranged chronologically and numerically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 2 ft., on open steel shelf and in 2 pasteboard boxes. R. 1419. (1909)

227. CANCELLED CHECKS, Dec. 19, 1919 - June 30, 1925. Drawn on First National Bank of Boston to cover payment of passport fees. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 1 ft., on open steel shelf and in pasteboard box. R. 1419. (2029)

228. FEES ACCOUNT CHECKS, Feb. 20, 1928 - Feb. 29, 1936. Cancelled checks, representing the return to plaintiffs of balances of deposited fees. Filed numerically. Index. (Weekly, official.)  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x  $8\frac{1}{4}$  loose papers, 3 ft., in pasteboard box. R. 1525. (2476)

229. REGISTRY ACCOUNTS, Jan. 3, 1924 to date. Cancelled checks representing general disbursements of the district court. Filed chronologically and numerically. Index. (Daily, official.) 3 x 8 loose papers, 1 ft., in pasteboard box on wooden shelf. R. 1525. (1890)

230. TRUST FUND DISBURSEMENTS AND VOUCHERS, July 1, 1935 to date. Records of disbursements made from funds held in trust by court. Each voucher gives name of case and its docket number. Filed chronologically and numerically. Index. (Daily, official.) 3 x 8 bundles, 1 ft., in pasteboard box. R. 1525. (2048)



231. ATTORNEYS' AND MARSHALS' ACCOUNTS OF FEES SETTLED BY J.W. DAVIS, Feb. 28, 1817 - July 12, 1833. Handwritten abstracts of executions with itemized lists of the fees. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 3 x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  in., in wooden box. Brittle, dirty, torn, ink faded. R. 1419. (1530)

232. WITNESS FEES, VOUCHERS, Dates not available. These papers are to be destroyed. (Never.) 7 x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  loose papers, linear measurement not obtainable, in wooden box. R. 1419. (1754)

(Miscellaneous Papers)

233. PENSIONERS OF THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, Aug. 1806 - July 1821. Lists of pensions, copies of pleas for pensions from wounded veterans of Revolutionary War; commissions from court to doctors for examination of these claimants, and certifications of their claims. Also, a list of applicants to district judge of United States for Massachusetts district for pensions under act of Congress passed Mar. 18, 1818, entitled "An Act to provide for certain persons engaged in land and naval service of United States in the Revolutionary War." Arranged chronologically. (Never.) 8 x 13 vols.,  $\frac{1}{4}$  in., on open steel shelf. Dirty, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (113)

234. LISTING OF ELIGIBLE BONDING COMPANIES, Jan. 2, 1935 to date. Bonding companies recognized as surety for bond. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 12 x 14 vols., 2 in., on wooden cabinet. R. 1525. (1847)

235. BOOK OF PERSONAL ACCOUNTS, ESTATE OF JAMES ANDREWS, ESQ., 1839 - 1850. Itemized list of all investments, securities, money paid out and received. Entered chronologically. (Never.) 8 x 13 leather vols., 2 in., on open steel shelf. Damaged by water, bindings broken. R. 1419. (52)

236. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS, Oct. 10, 1827 - May 15, 1856. Papers include letters, newspapers, old receipts, drawings, and court interrogatories. (Never.) 4 x 9 loose papers, 2 ft. 4 in., in wooden box. Dirty, torn, scattered, ink faded. R. 1419. (1400)

237. MISCELLANEOUS: CORRESPONDENCE, PAPERS, AND RECEIPTS OF CLERK OF MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT COURT, Mar. 31, 1864 - Dec. 8, 1864. (Never.) 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 10 papers, 4 in., in small leather bound chest and on open steel shelf. Brittle, dirty, scattered, ink faded. R. 1419. (992)

238. RETURNS FROM CONSULS, Dec. 31, 1872 - Nov. 9, 1896. Records of documents returned from consuls, including correspondence, reports, lists of personal effects, and wages of deceased seamen. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 documents, 1 ft., in 2 document holders. Brittle, dirty, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (1543)



239. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS, Oct. 15, 1890 - Dec. 19, 1900. Hand-written papers relating to routine business of court. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9 folded documents, 2 ft. 6 in., in 3 metal document holders and in wooden box. Brittle, dirty, ink faded. R. 1419. (1746)

240. DEPARTMENT CIRCULARS AND INSTRUCTIONS, July 21, 1891 - Apr. 6, 1936. Typed circulars and letters from the Department of Justice, giving rulings as to conduct of circuit court, and letters answering questions sent by clerk. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 9 x 11 covers, 3 in., on top of wooden cabinet. R. 1525. (2127)

241. MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS, TESTIMONIES, EXHIBITS, DEPOSITIONS, CORRESPONDENCE, Jan. 1, 1922 - Jan. 31, 1928. Included are copies of correspondence between the editor of the Atlantic Monthly (Ellery Sedgwick) and Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York. This correspondence relates to an article by Smith published by the Atlantic Monthly. See addenda for further details. (Never.) 9 x 11½ loose-leaf books and 10 x 18 bundles, 1 ft. 6 in., in old wooden box. Damaged by faulty containers, dirty, torn. R. 1419. (1249)

242. SECURITIES DEPOSITED WITH FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS, July 1, 1927 - Mar. 3, 1931. (Occasionally, official.) 9½ x 15 envelopes, 1½ in., in metal filing drawer. R. 1419. (1450)

243. MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS OF DISTRICT COURT, June 11, 1928 - Oct. 29, 1929. Various legal documents of diversified and unrelated contents. (Never.) 10 x 15 bundles, 1½ in., on open steel shelf. Dirty. R. 1419. (1402)

244. LISTS OF JURORS, Oct. 4, 1934 to date. Lists of those having served and now serving as jurors. Arranged alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 8 x 14 loose papers, 5 in., in wooden filing drawer. R. 1525. (1729)

(Correspondence)

245. MISCELLANEOUS LETTERS WRITTEN BY CLERKS OF THE MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT COURTS, May 1817 - Dec. 1911. Copies of clerk's letters and some original letters to the clerk. Copying abandoned in 1898 and duplicates glued into volumes. Many of the letters relate to payment of prize money. Applications for copyright were handled in district court and forwarded to Secretary of State. This report also includes receipts, notifications, letters for payment, and similar routine communications. Arranged chronologically. (Never.) Various sized vols., 2 ft. 1 in., on open steel shelf. Dirty, torn, bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1419. (240)

246. OFFICIAL LETTERS, UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Dec. 1, 1885 - June 29, 1925. Official correspondence received and sent by clerks of district and circuit courts. Arranged chronologically. (Rarely, official.) 11½ x 12 pasteboard letter containers, 31 ft. 6 in., on 9 open metal shelves. R. 1419. (238)



247. CORRESPONDENCE OF THE BOOKKEEPING DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT, Sept. 18, 1928 - Aug. 27, 1935. Letters received from Department of Justice, official agencies, banks, etc., and copies of replies to these letters. (Rarely, official.) 11 x 18 folders,  $1\frac{3}{4}$  in., on open wooden shelf. Dirty. R. 1525. (1887)

248. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, Jan. 2, 1929 to date. Records of letters received from and sent to Attorney General's office at Washington, D.C. Filed chronologically. (Rarely, official.) 9 x 12 envelopes, 16 ft., in 8 drawers of wooden filing case. R. 1525. (1937)

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249. CASE CASH BOOKS, Oct. 1, 1913 - Feb. 11, 1937. Covering office charges, collections, and deposits in connection with bankruptcy proceedings. Filed numerically. (Daily, official.)  $9\frac{1}{4}$  x  $10\frac{3}{4}$  vols., 12 ft. 8 in., on table. R. 1114. (9213)

250. MOTION BOOK, June 6, 1932 to date. Attorneys' motions: case number, name of bankrupt and attorney, time of hearing, type of motion, whether allowed or disallowed. (Daily, official.) 10 x 12 vols., 2 in., on counter. R. 1114. (9215)

251. DAILY DIARY, Jan. 1, 1935 to date. Register of dispatched notices for hearings. Filed numerically. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{3}{4}$  x 14 vols., 4 in., on table. R. 1114. (9214)

252. CASE LEDGERS, CLOSED CASES, Oct. 17, 1893 to date. Review of bankruptcy hearings in Norfolk and Suffolk Counties: dates of letters, notices, hearings. Filed numerically. 3 x 5 card index, 7 ft. 9 in. (Daily, official.) 10 x 10 cards, 10 ft. 7 in., in 7 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 1128. (9219, 9218)

253. CASES PENDING, Feb. 13, 1925 to date. Form 2, voluntary and involuntary bankruptcies in Norfolk and Middlesex Counties awaiting disposition or settlement by court: name of bankrupt, address, type of business, date bankruptcy filed, names of creditors and debtors; also, assets, liabilities, records of hearings. Filed numerically. 3 x 5 card index, 1 ft. 2 in. (Daily, official.)  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 81 ft. 10 in., in 19 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 1128. (9217, 9216)

254. BANKRUPTCY CASES PENDING, Jan. 1, 1931 to date. Forms and documents concerning cases in Suffolk County including petition, schedule of bankrupt's debts and property, referee's record. Filed numerically. (Daily, official.)  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x 10 envelopes, 221 ft. 11 in., in 36 drawers of steel filing cases. R. 1114. (9211)

255. BANKRUPT CASES, CLOSED, OPEN, AND PENDING IN SUFFOLK COUNTY, Jan. 1, 1931 to date. Complete record of bankruptcies: name, address of bankrupt; date case filed, adjudicated; name of referee, trustee, attorney. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 cards, 29 ft. 7 in., in 27 drawers of wooden filing cases. R. 1114. (9212)





256. CERTIFICATES OF REVIEW, 1922 to date. Reports on specifications of discharge in bankruptcy. Filed numerically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 14 folders, 8 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 1114. (9221)

257. MEMOS, 1922 to date. Referees' memos outlining salient features of each case. Filed numerically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 14 folders, 1 ft. 2 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 1114. (9223)

258. CORRESPONDENCE, 1922 to date. Letters concerning bankruptcy proceedings pending or heard by referee. Filed numerically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 14 folders, 7 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 1114. (9222)

259. CORRESPONDENCE, MIDDLESEX COUNTY, Oct. 17, 1898 to date. Active and inactive correspondence with individuals and business houses relative to bankruptcy cases and procedure. (Older records, rarely; later records, daily, official.) Filed chronologically and alphabetically. Various sized vols. and 9 x 12 folders, 15 ft. 8 in., on closet shelf and in 5 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 1128. (9224, 9220)

260. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, Oct. 1929 to date. Letters concerning securities and other property of bankrupts; also concerning disposal of property. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 11½ x 12 folders, 3 in., under counter. R. 1114. (9210)

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261. DOCKETS, Feb. 6, 1906 - July 2, 1936. Records of all cases appearing before commissioners. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.) 12½ x 16 and 8½ x 14 vols., 3 ft. 8 in., on 3 wooden shelves. Bindings broken, ink faded. R. 1104. (2696)

262. RECORDS OF COMMISSIONERS HEARINGS, Jan. 20, 1930 to date. Filed chronologically. (Quarterly, official.) 4 x 8 notebooks, 7 ft. 3 in., on 2 wooden shelves. R. 1104. (2656)

263. TRANSCRIPTS OF HEARINGS, Feb. 1, 1930 - July 2, 1936. Copies of records of hearings before commissioner that have been transcribed at request of individuals concerned. (Never.) 9½ x 15 envelopes, 4 in., in wooden filing drawer. R. 1104. (2653)

264. COMMISSIONERS' ACCOUNTS, Feb. 1, 1906 - Dec. 31, 1926. Records fees of commissioner, stationery and printers accounts. Filed chronologically. (Never.) 4 x 9½ bundles, 8 in., in pasteboard box. Brittle, dirty, ink faded. R. 1104. (2643)

265. FEE BILLS, Apr. 1, 1924 to date. Copies of commissioners' fee bills filed with Government for services performed. Filed chronologically. (Rarely, official.) 8½ x 14 papers strung on tape, 2 ft. 6 in., in 4 wooden filing drawers. Dirty. R. 1104. (2652)



266. CHINESE EXCLUSION CASES, Oct. 12, 1903 - July 2, 1936. Records relating to exclusion of Chinese who have entered this country illegally. Filed chronologically. (Yearly, official.)  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  folded papers, 3 ft. 9 in., in 3 folded document holders. Brittle, dirty, torn, ink faded. R. 1104. (2649)

267. EXTRADITION CASES, Feb. 27, 1907 - July 1, 1936. Records concerning persons who are fugitives from other countries. Filed chronologically. (Yearly, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 13 loose papers, 1 ft. 6 in., in 2 metal folded document holders. R. 1104. (2731)

268. CRIMINAL FUGITIVE CASES, Mar. 21, 1913 - July 2, 1936. Records of fugitives from justice that are wanted in other states. Filed chronologically. (Quarterly, official.) 4 x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  folded documents and 5 x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 10 ft. 5 in., in 2 wooden filing drawers and 5 wooden document holders. Dirty, ink faded. R. 1104. (2651)

269. CRIMINAL COMPLAINT CASES, Oct. 19, 1935 - July 1, 1936. Records concerning violators of narcotic, liquor, counterfeiting, and immigration laws. Filed chronologically. (Semiannually, official.) 4 x 13 bundles and  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 13 loose papers, 6 ft. 8 in., in 5 metal folded document holders. R. 1104. (2622)

270. MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS, Feb. 20, 1907 - Dec. 31, 1925. Records of violations, complaints, petitions for citations, and correspondence. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 13 loose papers, 2 ft. 6 in., in pasteboard box. Brittle, dirty, torn, scattered, ink faded. R. 1104. (2642)

271. SUPPLEMENTARY PROCESS CASES, Nov. 22, 1924 to date. Records which apply to the execution of judgments. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 13 folded documents, 8 in., in metal folded document holder. R. 1104. (2620)

272. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, Aug. 9, 1927 to date. Filed chronologically. (Never.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 loose papers, 2 in., in 2 drawers of wooden desk. R. 1104. (2657)

Probation and Parole Officer  
Federal Bldg., Post Office Square

The United States probation office was established in Boston on May 1, 1927, since which date it has been located in the Old Post Office, Young's Hotel, and the Federal Building, respectively. The staff comprises three probation officers, two clerks, and two temporary employees. None of the records of this agency have ever been lost or destroyed, and all are safely filed in wooden or steel cabinets. All records are kept in the Boston office except those of persons sent to a State prison for more than a year; the records of such persons are sent to the United States Board of Parole at Washington.



273. DEPARTMENTAL LETTERS AND REPORTS, May 1, 1927 to date. Correspondence, reports, etc., concerning the activities of this office. Also included are duplicate copies of papers that were sent to the Washington headquarters. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft. 4 in., in 2 drawers of metal filing case. R. 1604. (1979)

274. PROBATION AFTER JAIL SENTENCE, May 1, 1927 to date. Reports, correspondence, etc., concerning persons, who, tried on two or more counts or indictments and sentenced on one, were given probational sentences for the remaining. Probation goes into effect immediately after release from jail. Filed chronologically. (Monthly, official.) 3 x 5 cards, 4 in., in drawer of metal card cabinet. R. 1604. (2012)

275. CLOSED PROBATION AND PAROLE CASES, May 1, 1927 to date. Investigative records of probationers and parolees compiled for the use of the court. Also included are supervisory reports. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Weekly, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 53 ft., in 28 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 1604. (2014)

276. ACTIVE PROBATION CASES, July 1, 1931 to date. Probation case records of the northern, western, and southern Massachusetts districts, including supervisory records of parolees. Filed alphabetically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 5 ft. 7 in., in 4 drawers of metal filing case. R. 1604. (1894)

277. PENDING PAROLES, June 1, 1935 to date. Reports from prison officials recommending parole for convicts now in prison. Transferred to "Parole Case" file, when requests are granted. Filed alphabetically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 10 in., in metal filing case drawer. R. 1604. (1977)

278. PENDING CRIMINAL CASES, Jan. 1, 1936 to date. Records, reports, etc., concerning criminal cases waiting to go before the court. After verdicts are reached they are marked closed and retained. Those cases in which probation was granted are placed in the probation file. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 1 ft. 7 in., in 2 drawers of metal filing case. R. 1604. (1929)

279. PAROLE CASES, Jan. 1, 1936 to date. Reports, case histories, correspondence, etc., concerning all persons released on parole who are required to report to this office. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 4 in., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 1604. (1927)

280. COPIES OF REPORTS ON JUVENILE OFFENDERS, May 1, 1936 to date. Reports on juvenile offenders giving age, offense, place of detention, etc. The originals were sent to the Washington headquarters. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 $\frac{1}{2}$  loose-leaf books, 1 in., on desk. R. 1604. (2025)



## FALL RIVER

Referee in Bankruptcy  
Custom House and Post Office Bldg.,  
Pocasset and Second Sts.

281. BANKRUPTCY DOCKET, Aug. 31, 1898 to date. Forms showing court and office numbers, names and addresses of petitioner and attorney, date of petition and filing, date of adjudication, date and place of first meeting, and name and address of trustee; also liabilities, assets, dividends, report, and final disposal. Entered chronologically. Indexed. (Frequently, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 28 ft. 6 in., in wooden cupboard. R. 217. (481)

282. BANKRUPTCY LEDGER, Aug. 9, 1912 to date. Records showing the case number, name of bankrupt, his location, history of case, dates case was opened and closed. Entered chronologically. Indexed. (Frequently, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  vols., 1 ft. 9 in., in wooden cupboard. R. 217. (480)

283. DEBTOR'S PETITION, STATEMENT OF ALL DEBTS OF BANKRUPTCY, OPEN CASES, July 9, 1929 to date. Forms showing names of creditors, when and where debt was contracted, nature of debt, and amount. When case is closed all records and correspondence pertaining to the cases are forwarded to the clerk of the district court, Boston. Filed numerically. (Frequently, official.)  $4 \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 25 ft. 6 in., in 23 drawers of filing cases. R. 217. (478)

284. DEBTOR'S PETITIONS, STATEMENT OF ALL DEBTS OF BANKRUPTCY, CLOSED CASES, Dec. 29, 1931 to date. Standard law forms, showing name of petitioner and attorney, names of creditors, when and where debt was contracted, nature and amount of debt, total assets and liabilities. See addenda for disposal of papers. Filed numerically. (Frequently, official.)  $4 \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 4 ft. 2 in., on open metal shelf. R. 217. (533)

285. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, July 9, 1929 to date. Letters relative to bankruptcy cases open at present time. Filed chronologically. (Frequently, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  folders, 1 ft. 4 in., in 2 drawers of metal filing case. R. 217. (479)

## HOLYOKE

United States Commissioner  
Hadley Falls Bldg., 56 Suffolk St.

286. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S CRIMINAL DOCKET, Feb. 1, 1924 to date. Transcripts of proceedings including affidavit, warrant, final mittimus, final recognizance of Federal prisoners. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $9\frac{1}{2} \times 15$  vols., 10 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 600. (17)





287. COMPLETED CASES, Feb. 1, 1924 to date. Arraignment and disposition of Federal prisoners. Filed numerically. (Rarely, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 4 ft., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 600. (18)

288. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S NOTE BOOK, Feb. 1, 1924 to date. Notes on evidence presented to commissioner in criminal cases. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.) 9½ x 11 loose-leaf books (3), 6 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 600. (20)

289. MISCELLANEOUS CORRESPONDENCE, Feb. 1, 1924 to date. General correspondence concerning official duties of commissioner. Filed alphabetically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft. 8 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 600. (19)

LOWELL

United States Commissioner  
Chalefoux Bldg., 24 Merrimack St.

290. DOCKETS, Oct. 1, 1923 to date. Transcripts of criminal cases including commissioner's decisions and final dispositions; originals sent to district court, Boston. Filed chronologically. Indexed. (Occasionally, official.) 8 x 10 loose-leaf books, 7 in., in steel safe. R. 500. (83)

291. SEARCH WARRANTS, Oct. 1, 1923 to date. Copies of search and seizure warrants, issued according to Department of Justice regulations; originals sent to district court, Boston. Filed numerically. (Occasionally, official.) 9 x 15 folders, 5 in., in steel safe. R. 500. (85)

292. FEE BILL FOR SEARCH WARRANTS, Oct. 1, 1923 to date. Form 127, summary of fees and other legal charges for each case; originals sent to district court, Boston. Filed chronologically. (Yearly, official.) 8½ x 14 folders, 1 in., in steel safe. R. 500. (82)

293. CORRESPONDENCE, Oct. 1, 1923 to date. Correspondence with United States marshal, clerk of district court, and attorneys for defendants, concerning pending complaints. Filed chronologically. (Weekly, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 1 ft., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 500. (84)

NEW BEDFORD

United States Commissioner  
Five Cent Savings Bank Bldg.,  
791 Purchase St.

294. DOCKET LIST, Oct. 1923 to date. Abstracts of criminal complaints: name of complainant, defendant; case number, names of attorneys, dates papers were filed; names, addresses of witnesses; all pertinent papers sent quarterly to district court, Boston. Entered numerically. (Occasionally, official.) 9 x 14 3/4 vols., 1 ft., in bookcase and on desk. R. 3. (1407)



## NORTHAMPTON

Referee in Bankruptcy  
Randolph Bldg., 39 Main St.

295. BANKRUPTCY CASES, CLOSED, Jan. 2, 1931 to date. Records of completed cases on bankruptcy litigation. Filed alphabetically. (Never.) 4 x 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 112 ft., in 56 drawers of steel filing cases. Storage Room in attic. (298)

296. BANKRUPTCY SCHEDULES, Oct. 1, 1935 to date. Schedule of voluntary and involuntary bankruptcy with order of notice to creditors, petition to turn over assets, trustee's report, cash account, petition for bankrupt's discharge, and final oath. Filed alphabetically. 3 x 5 card index, 4 ft. 3 in. (Daily, official.) 4 x 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 32 ft., in 8 drawers of steel filing cases. Clerk's Office. (299)

297. LEDGER CARDS, Oct. 1, 1935 to date. Expenditures for bankruptcy hearings. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 cards, 2 ft. 6 in. Clerk's Office. (300)

298. BANKRUPTS' CANCELLED CHECKS, Jan. 2, 1931 to date. Cancelled checks and bank statements of bankrupts. Filed numerically. (Some, never; some, frequently; official.) 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  envelopes, 52 ft., in 23 drawers of steel filing cases. Storage Room in attic and Clerk's Office. (297, 301)

299. CORRESPONDENCE, Jan. 2, 1931 to date. Miscellaneous correspondence concerning bankruptcy litigation. Filed alphabetically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 6 ft., in 3 drawers of steel filing case. Clerk's Office. (302)

## PITTSFIELD

United States Commissioner  
Berkshire County Savings Bank Bldg.,  
28 North St.

300. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S CRIMINAL DOCKET, Sept. 26, 1930 to date. Transcripts of criminal proceedings; also affidavit, warrant, final mittimus, final recognition of defendant. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 vols., 2 in., on top of desk. R. 411. (12)

301. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S NOTE BOOK, Sept. 26, 1930 to date. Notes on evidence and proceedings at arraignments in United States court. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 bundles, 2 in., on top of desk. R. 411. (11)

302. FINISHED CASES, Sept. 26, 1930 to date. Federal cases which have been disposed of. Filed numerically. (Rarely, official.) 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 folders, 3 ft., on open wooden shelf. R. 491. (8)



303. INCOMPLETE CASES, Sept. 26, 1930 to date. Pending cases awaiting hearing and disposition. Filed numerically. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 folders, 5 in., in pasteboard transfer case. R. 411. (10)

304. CORRESPONDENCE, Sept. 26, 1930 to date. Correspondence relative to commissioner's official business. Filed alphabetically. (Frequently, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft., on open wooden shelf. R. 49. (9)

#### SPRINGFIELD

##### Clerk

Federal Bldg., Dwight and Lyman Sts.

The office of the deputy clerk at Springfield was established in 1910 at Hampden County Court House, Elm Street. In 1928 it was moved to its present location in the Federal Building. No permanent files are kept here but only the records of pending cases; records of closed cases are forwarded to Boston.

305. LIST OF CRIMINAL CASES, Sept. 1, 1921 to date. Criminal cases awaiting arraignment, trial, or disposition. Filed numerically. (Daily, official.)  $10\frac{1}{2}$  x  $14\frac{1}{2}$  loose sheets, 1 ft. 6 in., in steel vault. R. 309. (1569)

306. RECORDS OF CIVIL CASES, Sept. 1, 1929 to date. Records of civil cases pending disposition. Arranged numerically. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 14 vols., 9 in., in steel vault. R. 309. (1568)

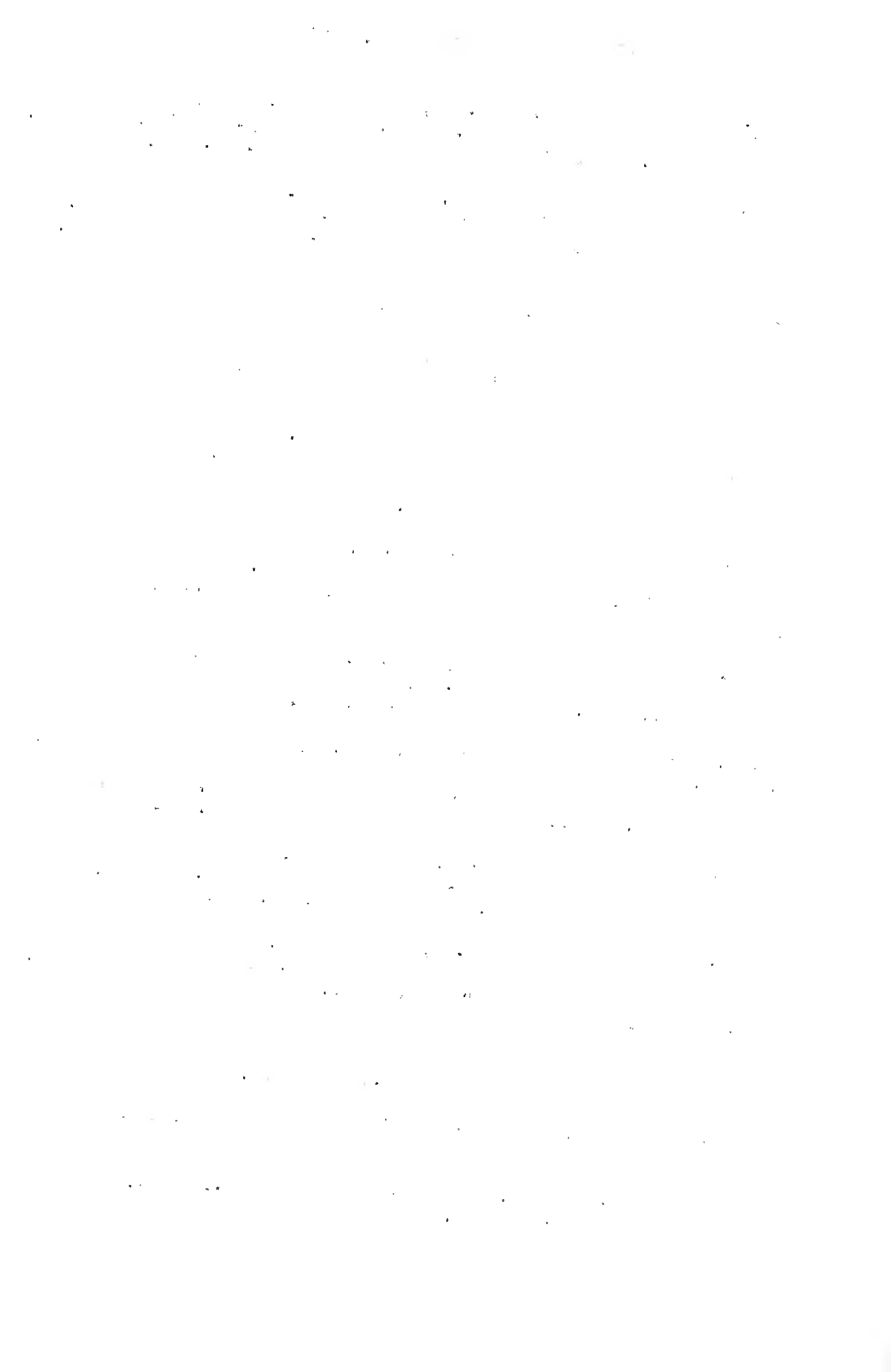
307. APPLICATIONS FOR PASSPORTS, Sept. 1, 1929 to date. Forms A, B, and C, applications by native born and naturalized citizens for passports to foreign countries. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 309. (1565)

308. PASSPORT LIST, Sept. 1, 1929 to date. List of applicants for passports to foreign countries. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 8 x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  loose sheets, 4 in., in steel vault. R. 309. (1567)

309. CORRESPONDENCE, Sept. 1, 1929 to date. Correspondence with defending attorneys concerning pending trials. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 309. (1566)

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310. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S CRIMINAL DOCKETS, Apr. 1, 1929 to date. Abstracts of proceedings in criminal complaint cases; affidavits, warrants, final mittimus, recognizance of prisoners. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 vols., 6 in., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 522. (1573)



311. UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S NOTE BOOK, Apr. 1, 1929 to date. Notes on evidence presented at criminal hearings. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 vols., 4 in., on top of desk. R. 522. (1572)

312. COMPLETED CASES, Apr. 1, 1929 to date. Record of disposition of completed criminal hearings. Filed numerically. (Rarely, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 522. (1571)

313. CORRESPONDENCE, Apr. 1, 1929 to date. Correspondence concerning official business of commissioner. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 9 x 12 folders, 2 ft., in drawer of steel filing case. R. 522. (1570)

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314. MINUTE BOOKS, 1898 to date. Records of proceedings, meetings, hearings, and appointments in court. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.)  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 12 vols.,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in., in vault. R. 512. (96)

315. CLOSED BANKRUPTCY CASES, Nov. 13, 1898 - Apr. 15, 1936. Records of debtors' petitions and schedules A and B. Records prior to 1921 stored in vault. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.)  $4\frac{1}{2}$  x  $10\frac{1}{2}$  bundles, 171 ft. 6 in., in 61 drawers of metal filing cases, and 57 cardboard boxes. R. 512. (98)

316. PENDING BANKRUPTCY CASES, Jan. 1929 to date. Data consists of debtors' petitions and schedules A and B. Filed numerically. Indexed. (Daily, official.) 5 x 11 bundles, 42 ft., in 7 drawers of metal filing cases. R. 512. (99)

317. SPECIAL MATTER REFERENCES UNDER SECTION 77, 1898 to date. Records of important references under section 77 of new bankruptcy law. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 index cards, 8 in., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 512. (101)

318. SPECIFICATION OF OBJECTIONS TO DISCHARGES, 1921 to date. Record of specified objections to discharges. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 index cards, 6 in., in drawer of wooden filing case. R. 512. (103)

319. MISCELLANEOUS REFERENCE FILE, Jan. 1921 to date. Reports on hearings, meetings, and objections to discharged cases. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 12 x  $16\frac{1}{2}$  folders, 1 ft. 2 in., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 512. (97)

320. REFERENCE FILE, Jan. 1929 to date. Records of discharges. Filed alphabetically. (Daily, official.) 3 x 5 index cards, 9 in., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 512. (104)





321. APPRAISERS' FILE, Jan. 1921 to date. Records containing names and addresses of all appraisers connected with various industries. Filed alphabetically. Indexed. (Weekly, official.) 3 x 5 index cards, 1 ft. 4 in., in 2 drawers of wooden filing case. R. 512. (100)

322. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, Mar. 1932 to date. Correspondence relating to bankruptcy, petitions, schedules, hearings, and other general business conducted by office. Filed chronologically. (Daily, official.) 12 x 16 $\frac{1}{2}$  folders, 2 ft., in drawer of metal filing case. R. 512. (102)

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State Mutual Bldg., 340 Main St.

323. CRIMINAL DOCKET, Nov. 11, 1923 to date. Abstracts of criminal complaints mostly in internal revenue and prohibition cases: name, address of defendant, reason for arrest; outcome of trial. Entered chronologically. (Daily, official.) 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  x 15 vols., 1 ft. 1 in., in safe. R. 826. (499)





